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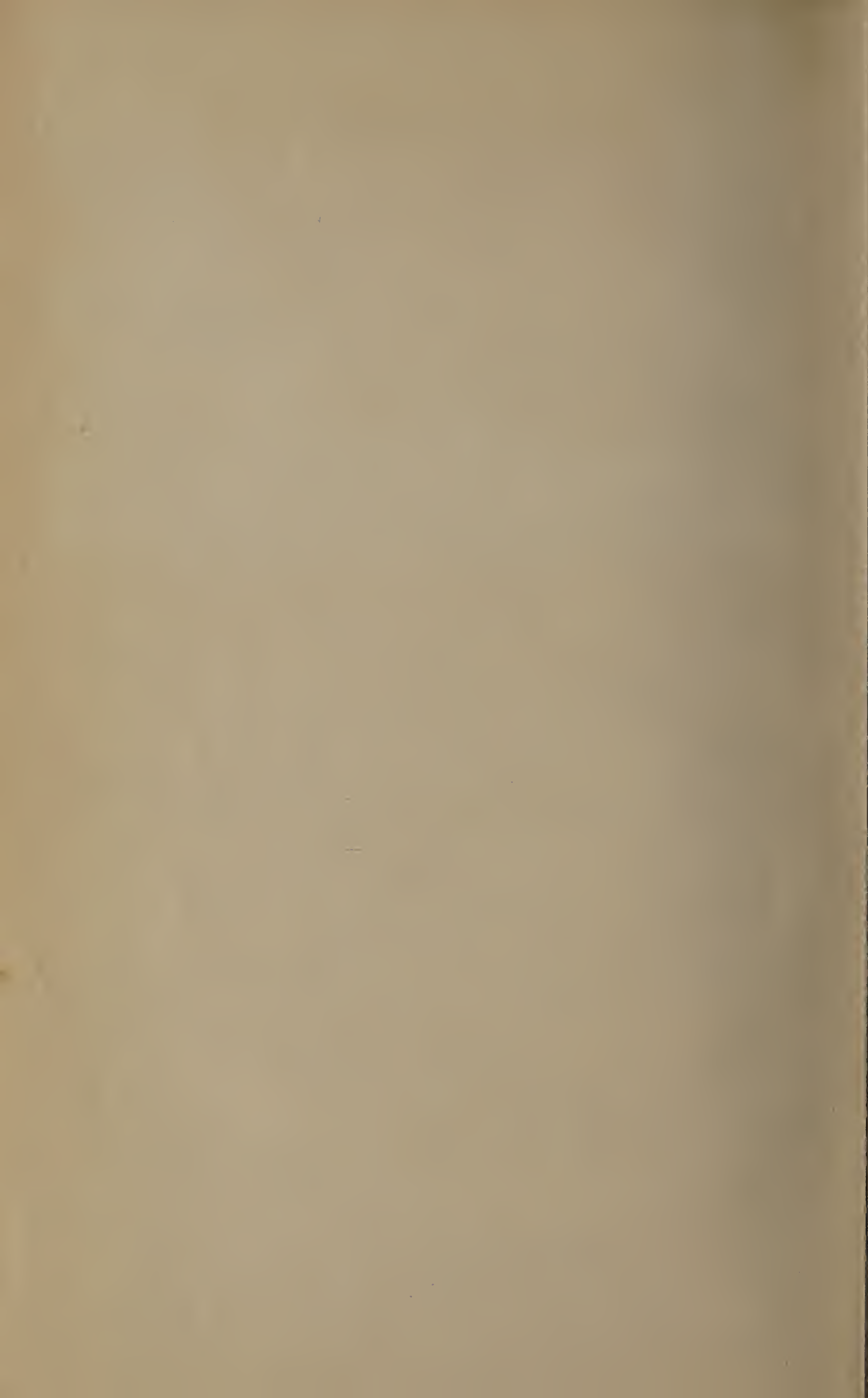
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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Town of Weymouth

CONTAINING THE REPORTS OF
SELECTMEN, TOWN TREASURER, TOWN
CLERK, TOWN ACCOUNTANT, ASSESSORS
AND OTHER OFFICERS AND
COMMITTEES



FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31

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TOWN OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR 1931-1932

Town Clerk

CLAYTON B. MERCHANT P. O. Address, Town Hall, East
Weymouth
Term expires 1934

Town Treasurer

EDWIN R. SAMPSON P. O. Address, Town Hall, East
Weymouth

Selectmen

WILLIAM A. CONNELL, Chairman, P. O. Address, 37 Highland Pl.
South Weymouth
FRED E. WAITE, Clerk, P. O. Address, Town Hall, East
Weymouth
H. FRANKLIN PERRY WILLIAM A. HANNAFORD
CHARLES H. CHUBBUCK

Assessors

JOHN F. DWYER, Chairman and Clerk,	Term expires 1934
P. O. Address, Town Hall, East Weymouth	
CHARLES W. BURGESS	" " 1934
RICHARD HALLORAN	" " 1932
OTIS B. TORREY	" " 1932
HARRY E. BEARCE	" " 1933

School Committee

PRINCE H. TIRRELL, Chairman	Term expires 1933
P. O. Address, 167 Pleasant St., South Weymouth	
ETHEL G. TAYLOR, Clerk	" " 1932
P. O. Address, 44 Tower Avenue, South Weymouth	
EDWIN R. SAMPSON	" " 1932
FRANCIS W. REA	" " 1933
JOHN P. HUNT	" " 1934
J. HERBERT LIBBY	" " 1934

Park Commissioners

FRANCIS W. REA, Chairman	Term expires 1934
P. O. Address, 706 Pleasant St., East Weymouth	
CHARLES W. BURGESS, Clerk	" " 1932
P. O. Address, 32 Pearl St., North Weymouth	
JOSEPH KELLEY	" " 1933

Water Commissioners

*FRANK H. TORREY
 GEORGE E. BICKNELL, Chairman and Clerk Term expires 1932
 HOWARD M. DOWD " " 1932
 GEORGE W. PERRY " " 1934
 WILLIAM A. CONNELL, Chairman of the Selectmen, ex-officio
 EDWIN R. SAMPSON, Treasurer, ex-officio

Tax Collector

FRANK W. HOLBROOK P. O. Address, Town Hall, East Weymouth

Board of Health

JOSEPH CREHAN, Chairman Term expires 1933
 P. O. Address, 20 King Avenue, Weymouth
 FREDERICK L. DOUCETT, Clerk " " 1932
 P. O. Address, 675 Broad St., East Weymouth
 THOMAS J. MacDONALD " " 1934

Trustees of Tufts Library

CLARENCE P. WHITTLE, Chairman Term expires 1934
 P. O. Address, 115 Front St., Weymouth
 GERTRUDE C. ANDREWS, Clerk " " 1932
 P. O. Address, 134 West St., South Weymouth
 WALLACE H. DRAKE " " 1932
 ARTHUR H. PRATT " " 1932
 WILLIAM H. HATHAWAY " " 1933
 JOHN B. HOLLAND " " 1933
 KENNETH L. NASH " " 1933
 JOSEPH KELLEY " " 1934
 FRANKLIN N. PRATT " " 1934
 Board of Selectmen and Town Treasurer, Members ex-officio

Tree Warden

CHARLES L. MERRITT P. O. Address, 44 Highland Pl., South Weymouth

Planning Board

FRANK A. PRAY, Chairman Term expires 1934
 P. O. Address, 97 Broad St., Weymouth
 RALPH H. HASKINS, Clerk " " 1932
 P. O. Address, 18 Lafayette Avenue, East Weymouth
 JOSIAH B. REED " " 1932
 RUSSELL H. WHITING " " 1932
 ALLAN C. EMERY " " 1933
 THOMAS J. KELLEY " " 1933
 ARTHUR I. NEGUS " " 1934

Building Inspector

THOMAS J. KELLEY P. O. Address, Town Hall, East Weymouth

Annual Moderator

GEORGE L. BARNES P. O. Address, 830 Main St., South Weymouth

* Deceased

Town Meeting Members

Precinct 1, term expires 1932

CHARLES T. BAILEY	FRED W. CROCKER
JOSEPH BUCKLEY	CARLTON C. CHAMBERS
WALLACE H. DRAKE	JOHN GRIFFIN
ALTON W. JONES	ARCHIBALD McCULLAGH
JAMES H. PITTS	RAYMOND E. STEIN
ALFRED F. TURNER	JOHN THOMSON
STANLEY T. TORREY	RUSSELL H. WHITING

Precinct 1, term expires 1933

**HARRY A. BAILEY	JOHN A. CARTER
HERMAN O. COLLYER	WILLIAM B. DASHA
CHARLES W. CLARK	ALBERT J. EVERETT
CHARLES C. HEARN	DeFOREST JONES
R. CHESTER LOPPAUS	HERBERT ROSETTER
CHARLES E. STILES	ANTHONY VEADER
WILBUR F. WOODWORTH	

Precinct 1, term expires 1934

JOHN L. BASTY	CHARLES W. BURGESS
WILLIAM H. CHERRINGTON	OBERLIN S. CLARK
FRED H. CLIFFORD	FRANK D. EVERTON
WILLIAM G. LYONS	E. LEO MADDEN
EDWARD P. McNAMARA	A. WESLEY SAMPSON
ELLIOT C. SABENS	**CHARLES A. TOBIN
HAROLD W. WHITE	

Precinct 2, term expires 1932

WILLIAM P. DENBROEDER	PETER A. GALLANT
***ARTHUR A. CICHESE	JOSEPH J. CONROY
***TIMOTHY F. HANNIFAN	RALPH H. HASKINS
FREDERICK V. NOLAN	JOSEPH NOSIGLIA
LEROY A. KENNEY	DAVID J. TOOMEY
***CARL F. PRESCOTT	RICHARD H. ROCHE
GEORGE W. VENTRE	

Precinct 2, term expires 1933

MONTAGUE BETTENCOURT	THOMAS J. KELLEY
JAMES D. BOSWORTH	THOMAS A. BOYLE
STUART H. BRIGGS	HOWARD M. DOWD
LOUIS V. DANIELE	*PETER F. HUGHES
FRANCIS H. MAGUIRE, JR.	HARRY A. MATTSON
BENJAMIN B. SYLVESTER	ROBERT M. WHITE

Precinct 2, term expires 1934

GEORGE L. BATES	MELZAR S. BURRELL
HENRY C. COTTELL	GEORGE F. FARRAR
EVERETT T. GARDNER	HAROLD F. LOUD
JOHN P. LOVELL	DAVID F. McMORROW
JAMES I. PEERS	ARTHUR H. PRATT
MARSHALL F. SPEAR	

* Deceased

** Resigned

*** Moved from Precinct

Precinct 3, term expires 1932

J. RALPH BACON
FRANK M. CHUBBUCK
CHARLES A. COYLE
TIMOTHY L. GANNON
EDWARD A. HUNT
DENNIS McCARTHY
EVERETT J. McINTOSH
LESTER W. TISDALE

CHARLES Y. BERRY
HOWARD M. CLARK
RUSSELL E. DEXHEIMER
WALTER E. GUTTERSON
MICHAEL L. FLYNN
TIMOTHY G. McCARTHY
CHARLES W. O'CONNOR
JOHN B. WHELAN

Precinct 3, term expires 1933

C. LINCOLN ABBOTT
WINFRED A. BROWN
THOMAS FITZGERALD
EDWARD W. HUNT
JOSEPH KELLEY
JOHN J. McDONALD
WILLIAM B. THOMAS

LEO P. BOURKE
DANIEL H. CLANCY
FREDERICK H. HALL
JOHN P. HUNT
ROY C. LUCAS
THOMAS SWEENEY
JAMES L. TRAINER

Precinct 3, term expires 1934

CHARLES W. BAKER
HARRY L. BLOOM
WILLIAM J. COYLE
FREDERICK J. COYLE
ALBERT L. JEWELL
JOHN J. NORTON
WILLIAM E. PRAY
WILLIAM W. WAKEMAN

WALLACE H. BICKNELL
HENRY A. COTE
***SAMUEL F. CUSHING
ARTHUR J. HASSETT
BURTON F. JOHNSON
GEORGE S. PETERSON
CLARENCE M. PRICE
WALLACE H. WHITTLE

RAYMOND O. HOLLIS

Precinct 4, term expires 1932

GERTRUDE C. ANDREWS
CARL F. ELSNER
*MATTHEW R. LOUD

HAROLD A. CONDRICK
JOHN W. KNOX
***E. LEO MADDEN

JOHN F. KENNEDY

Precinct 4, term expires 1933

CHESLEY CORMACK
**EVERETT E. CALLAHAN
ALFRED S. TIRRELL

RICHARD HOLLORAN
MERTON L. LOUD
THERON L. TIRRELL

Precinct 4, term expires 1934

CHARLES H. DeRUSHA
IGNATIUS MELVILLE
J. FREDERICK PRICE

JOSIAH F. MARTIN
BLANCHE L. PRICE
JOHN F. SULLIVAN

Precinct 5, term expires 1932

J. LEONARD BICKNELL
MELVILLE F. CATE
ALFRED V. COLEMAN
JAMES C. FAIRWEATHER
FRANK G. HALE, JR.
ARTHUR I. NEGUS
MATTHEW O'DOWD
FRANCIS A. GUNN

ALTON S. BLANCHARD
HARRISON I. COLE
OTIS F. CORTHELL
JOHN W. FIELD
JOSEPH W. KOHLER
*ALONZO M. NEWBERT
CHARLES H. PUTNAM
MINOT E. HOLLIS

JOSIAH B. REED

Precinct 5, term expires 1933

ALBERT E. BARNES
JACOB DENBROEDER
CHARLES T. HEALD
WILLIAM J. HOLBROOK
JOHN S. JENNINGS
DANIEL L. O'DONNELL
GEORGE REED
FRED R. SNOW

CHARLES S. BICKNELL
WALTER R. FIELD
STANLEY HEALD
JOHN E. HORACE
FRANK E. LOUD
WILLIAM G. B. PARK
ALBERT G. SILVESTER
ARTHUR R. TAYLOR

OTIS B. TORREY

Precinct 5, term expires 1934

*WALTER L. BATES
THOMAS W. BLACKWELL
DAVID N. CRAWFORD
ARTHUR W. HARKINSON
FRANK W. HOLBROOK
RITCHIE T. HOWE
THOMAS A. PICKETT
DANIEL B. SANTRY

MARY WILBUR BAUER
JOHN A. CONNOR
SIMON R. GALLANT
GUY W. C. HARTT
***BOWDEN A. HOLMES
FRED H. OLIVER
ROY H. ROSEWELL
JOE TAYLOR

PRINCE H. TIRRELL

Precinct 6, term expires 1932

BARTHOLOMEW COUGHLIN
FRÉDERICK L. DOUCETT
FRANCIS O. DUFFEY
FREDERICK HUMPHREY
ROBERT MITCHELL
CORNELIUS J. LYNCH

NICHOLAS GAROFALO
N. FRANK HOLMES
CHARLES E. DUNBAR
ANNIE J. LIBBY
J. EDWARD MULLIGAN
GEORGE W. PERRY

DANIEL REIDY

Precinct 6, term expires 1933

J. ALBERT AHERN
***ANTHONY CASSESE
JOSEPH A. FERN
JOHN H. MORAN
LEWIS M. BEACH
HENRY C. PRATT

CHARLES H. BURKETT
GEORGE E. CUNNIFF
L. HENRY GODIN
ALLEN LENNOX
OAKLEY A. KUNZ
SPURGEON A. WARD

JOHN H. REIDY

Precinct 6, term expires 1934

EDWARD F. BUTLER
JAMES H. HANLEY
ALBERT HUMPHREY
JOHN W. KENNEDY
PASQUALE SANTACROCE
RICHARD J. WHITE

JOHN O. GUNVILLE
WILLIAM A. HODGES
DAVID F. KEARNS
BENJAMIN SANTACROCE
THOMAS J. TERRY
ALFRED C. SHEEHY

Precinct 7, term expires 1932

HELEN E. DOBLE
WILLARD F. HALL
ALSTON A. SHAW

NELLIE M. HOLBROOK
IRVING E. JOHNSON
BESSIE L. SHERMAN

Precinct 7, term expires 1933

CLYNE W. BIGELOW
EARL S. PORTER

CHARLES E. EDDY
BERTHA E. PRATT
E. LILLIAN REA

Precinct 7, term expires 1934

WILLIAM B. CHALKE, JR.
MATTHIAS E. DOYLE
GEORGE H. McKINLEY

ELLSWORTH W. CURTIS
RONALD A. MacDONALD
JOHN W. THORP

Precinct 8, term expires 1932

RUFUS E. BATES
ALLAN C. EMERY

BENJAMIN M. COWAN
PARKER T. PEARSON

Precinct 8, term expires 1933

JOHN W. COYLE
BENJAMIN F. SMITH

EDWIN R. HANSON
CHARLES H. WILDER

Precinct 8, term expires 1934

PRESCOTT B. BROWN
HARRY E. JOHNSON

EDWIN R. FARREN
FREDERICK E. LUNT

Town Meeting Members by virtue of their office

ALBERT E. BARNES
FREDERIC G. BAUER
CHARLES H. CHUBBUCK
JOSEPH CREHAN
EMERSON R. DIZER
JOHN F. DWYER
WILLIAM A. HANNAFORD
JOHN W. HEFFERNAN
NEWLAND H. HOLMES
ARTHUR R. LOHNES
CHARLES L. MERRITT
ALFRED P. PILLSBURY
FRANCIS W. REA
SANDY ROULSTON
FRED H. SMITH
PRINCE H. TIRRELL
RUSSELL H. WHITING

GEORGE L. BARNES
GEORGE E. BICKNELL
WILLIAM A. CONNELL
CHARLES R. DENBROEDER
HOWARD M. DOWD
VICTOR H. HALL
RALPH H. HASKINS
FRANK W. HOLBROOK
THOMAS F. LEARY
CLAYTON B. MERCHANT
H. FRANKLIN PERRY
FRANK A. PRAY
JOSIAH B. REED
EDWIN R. SAMPSON
ROLAND M. SMITH
FRED E. WAITE
CLARENCE L. WHITTLE

Appropriation Committee

Term expires 1932

FREDERIC G. BAUER	RALPH H. HASKINS
FRANK A. PRAY	FRED H. SMITH
ROLAND M. SMITH	

Term expires 1933

CHARLES R. DENROEDER	THOMAS F. LEARY
VICTOR H. HALL	ALFRED P. PILLSBURY
RUSSELL H. WHITING	

Term expires 1934

ALBERT E. BARNES	HOWARD M. DOWD
JOHN W. HEFFERNAN	ARTHUR R. LOHNES
SANDY ROULSTON	

Town Accountant

EMERSON R. DIZER

Superintendent of Streets

ARTHUR I. NEGUS

Electric Light Committee

JOSEPH KELLEY, Chairman	P. O. Address, 340 Washington St. Weymouth
J. HERBERT LIBBEY, Clerk	P. O. Address, 283 North St. North Weymouth
EDWIN MULREADY	WILLIAM B. NASH, JR.
ALFRED S. TIRRELL	

Registrars of Voters

EDWARD P. MURPHY, Chairman	Term expires 1933
CLAYTON B. MERCHANT, Clerk	Town Clerk, ex-officio
JOSEPH CREHAN	Term expires 1932
JOHN F. REARDON	" " 1934

Chief of Police

EDWARD F. BUTLER	P. O. Address, Police Headquarters East Weymouth
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Chief of Fire Department

J. RALPH BACON	P. O. Address, Fire Station, Weymouth
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Sealer of Weights and Measures

CHARLES W. BURGESS	P. O. Address, 32 Pearl Street North Weymouth
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Inspector of Animals

JOHN F. DWYER P. O. Address, 324 Washington St., Weymouth

Inspector of Plumbing

GEORGE MARSHALL P. O. Address, 55 Union Street
South Weymouth

Town Engineer

RUSSELL H. WHITING P. O. Address, 56 Sea Street
North Weymouth



WARRANT FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

To the Constables of the Town of Weymouth in said County, GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of Weymouth aforesaid qualified to vote in Town affairs to meet in the hall of the Weymouth High School on Monday, the second day of March, 1931, at seven o'clock and forty-five minutes in the evening, then and there to act upon the following articles, namely:

BUDGET

Article 1. To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise or borrow and appropriate for the salaries, operation and expenses during the current fiscal year of each of the following Town Departments and activities, to wit:

A. General Government

1. Appropriation Committee
2. Selectmen's Department
3. Town Accountant's Department
4. Town Treasurer's Department
5. Collector of Taxes
6. Assessors' Department
7. Legal Department, including payment of damages
8. Town Clerk's Department (including copying, preserving, binding and indexing the Town Records)
9. Elections and Registrations
10. Engineering Department, including Town Survey, bound stones, street surveys, and such other engineering work as may be authorized by the Board of Selectmen.
11. Planning Board
12. Maintenance and upkeep of Town Hall and War Memorial.
13. Maintenance and upkeep of Civil War Soldiers monument and other memorials in charge of Selectmen

B. Protection of Persons and Property

14. Police Department
15. Fire Department
16. Police and Fire Signal Systems

17. Hydrant Service
18. Building Inspector
19. Sealer of Weights and Measures
20. Gypsy Moth and other Insect Pest Extermination
21. Care of Shade Trees
22. Street Lighting
23. Harbor Master

C. Health and Sanitation

24. Board of Health
25. Employment of Nurses, including the determination of the way in which such nurses shall be employed, whether by contract or otherwise
26. Maintenance Norfolk Tuberculosis Hospital
27. Sewerage System Committee
28. Garbage Disposal

D. Relief Activities

29. Charities
30. Soldiers' Benefit
31. Old Age Assistance under General Laws, Chapter 118A
32. Pensions

E. Miscellaneous

33. Highway Department
 - (a) General Maintenance, including salaries
 - (b) Snow and Ice
 - (c) Construction
 - (d) Sidewalk construction
34. Schools
35. Libraries
36. Observation of Memorial Day
37. Observance of Fourth of July
38. Parks and Playgrounds
39. Miscellaneous Expenses
40. Unpaid Bills
41. Overdrafts under General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 31

F. Public Service Enterprises

42. Water Department
 - (a) Major construction
 - (b) Minor construction
 - (c) Maintenance and Operation
 - (d) Replacements
 - (e) Equipment
 - (f) Commercial Expenses
 - (g) Salaries
 - (h) Interest
 - (i) Debt
 - (j) Land Bordering Pond

- 43. Alewife Fishery
- G. Care of Graves
 - 44. Care of Soldiers' Graves
 - 45. Care of old Cemeteries under Sections 16 and 18 of Chapter 114 of the General Laws
 - 46. Survey of Cemeteries
- H. Interest and Debt Requirements
 - 47. Interest Requirements
 - 48. Bonds and Notes due in 1931
- I. Insurance
 - 49. Municipal Buildings Insurance Fund
 - 50. Fire and Other Insurance
- J. 51. Reserve Fund

and to determine in each case how and under whose direction the money shall be expended, to impose any conditions and restrictions thereon which the Town may see fit; to determine how much money so appropriated shall be available for expenditures under Clause (34) of Section 5 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws as amended by Chapter 36 of the Acts of 1928; to determine what, if any, sums so appropriated shall remain available after December 31, 1931; to fix the terms and conditions of any loan or loans authorized to procure any of such funds and to authorize the issue of bonds or notes for the same, and fix the term and rate of interest of any such bonds or notes; to fix such salaries as require to be fixed by the Town Meeting; and to impose such conditions upon the drawing of compensation from the Town as the Town may see fit; or take any other action in reference to any of the foregoing subjects.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

(By Direction of the Selectmen)

Article 2. To take any action that the Town may think proper upon the reports of the several Town Boards and Committees and appoint or change any committee that the Town may think proper.

TOWN FINANCES

(By Direction of the Selectmen)

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to authorize its Treasurer, with the approval of its Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the current financial year.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize its Treasurer, with the approval of its Selectmen, on and after January 1, 1932, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the year 1932.

Article 5. To see what sum of money the Town will vote from surplus for the use of the Assessors in determining the tax rate for the year 1931.

Article 6. To determine in what manner taxes shall be collected during the current year, and fix the rate of interest on all taxes remaining unpaid after the time fixed for payment.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell or otherwise dispose of any real or personal property of which the Town may be possessed or seized and for which it has no further use, including all real estate of which the Town has possession or title for non-payment of taxes; to see if the Town will vote to authorize any other department to sell or otherwise dispose of any personal property in its possession, and to determine the manner or conditions of such sales, or take any other action in reference thereto.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to authorize its Board of Selectmen to accept conveyances or mortgages of any real or personal property belonging to persons receiving poor relief from the Town and to dispose of said property in the manner they may adjudge for the Town's best interest, and to authorize them to discharge any encumbrance on said property if they consider it for the best interests of the Town so to do, and to see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the discharging such encumbrances.

Article 9. To see what disposition the Town will make of any insurance money which may be recovered from the loss or damage by fire of any Town property and to see what action the Town will take in reference to paying from the Municipal Buildings Insurance Fund any such losses on property not covered by insurance.

WATER DEPARTMENT

(At Request of the Water Department)

Article 10. To see if the Town will authorize the issuance of not to exceed \$7,500.00 in bonds or notes for the construction of water mains of six inches or more in diameter, said bonds or notes to be payable within fifteen years of the date of issue, and in accordance with Section 19 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or take any other action in relation thereto.

Article 11. To see if the Town will authorize the appropriation of not to exceed \$20,000.00 from the General Fund of the Water Department for carrying on necessary work for private parties, payment for such work to revert to the General Fund, or take any other action in relation thereto.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to re-affirm the action taken under Article 35 of the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting in 1928, Article 12 of the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting in 1929, and Article 18 of the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting in 1930 authorizing the Board of Water Commissioners to acquire by gift or purchase or take by right of eminent domain for the purpose of protecting the Town's water supply certain land lying within the water shed of Great Pond and not already owned

by the Town, and to see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for said purpose, and to determine by vote in what manner the funds for said purpose shall be raised and determine the conditions of any loan or loans necessary to procure such fund, to authorize the issue of bonds or notes for the same, and to fix the term and rate of interest on said bonds or notes, or take any other action in reference thereto.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to accept on behalf of the Town deeds of any lands adjoining parcels taken or purchased by the Town for the protection of the water supply in the vicinity of Great Pond, and will authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell said lands or to convey them in full or partial settlement of any claims for damages for land taken for the purpose of preserving the purity of the water supply, or take any other action in reference thereto.

Article 14. (On petition of Joseph W. Conren and others.) To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Water Commissioners to annul the agreement entered into between Henry S. Moody, Trustee, and the Town of Weymouth by which said Moody agreed to pay the Town 7% on \$7,000 for five years for a water main to be laid from Commercial Street through the Moody Land Trust property known as Idlewell, or take any other action in reference thereto.

Article 15. (On petition of Joseph W. Conren and others.) To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Water Commissioners to take over the deep water pipes now owned by the Moody Land Trust but laid by the Town of Weymouth during the years 1923 and 1924 and refund to the Moody Land Trust what they consider a fair value for said pipes.

Article 16. (At request of the Committee appointed under Article 20 of the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting in 1930.) To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purpose of providing an emergency water supply for the Edison Plant, or to take any other action in reference thereto.

STREETS AND SIDEWALKS

Article 17. (By direction of the Selectmen and on petition of abutters on the several streets hereinafter named.) To see if the Town will accept the several reports of the Selectmen laying out as Town ways the following designated private ways and parts of ways, or any of them, to wit:

- Puritan Road
- Sycamore Road
- White Park
- Pierce Road
- Mt. Vernon Road East
- Mt. Vernon Road West
- Mt. Ida Road
- Woronoco Road
- Lakehurst Avenue
- Drew Avenue
- Glendale Avenue

or any portion of said ways and will authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire by gift or take by right of eminent domain an easement for all purposes of a public street and highway in and over each of said streets as so laid out and accepted, and to see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the working of each of the above named streets including the acquisition of the easements above referred to or for the building of any bridges in connection therewith and to see whether the Town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to accept deeds of any reservation strips existing in connection with any of said streets, or to take any other action in reference thereto.

Article 18. To see if the Town will accept the several reports of the Selectmen relocating the following intersections and other portions of certain streets in the Town, or to take any other action in reference to the same, to wit:

- The junction of North and Neck Streets;
- The junction of Lake and Charles Streets;
- Bayview Street at its junction with Babcock Avenue;
- The junction of Bartlett Street and Babcock Avenue;
- The junction of Broad and Spring Streets;
- Iron Hill Street between property of the Weymouth Water Power Co. and property of Jeremiah S Connell;
- The junction of Torrey Street and Park Avenue.

or any portions thereof, and to see if the Town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire by gift or purchase or take by right of eminent domain an easement for all purposes of a public street and highway in and over the portions of said streets as so relocated and accepted; to see if the Town will vote to abandon any portion of said streets as formerly laid out which are not within the lines of said streets as so located; and to see what sum or sums of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the working of each of the above streets as so relocated including the acquisition of the easements above referred to and for the building of any bridges which may be necessary in connection therewith, or take any other action in reference thereto.

Article 19. (At the request of the Superintendent of Streets.) To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the permanent construction of existing streets, or take any other action in reference thereto.

Article 20. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for permanent sidewalks, or take any other action in reference thereto.

Article 21. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for private work, the same to be done by the Street Department on approval of the Selectmen and to see what disposition the Town will make for moneys received for such private work, or take any other action in reference thereto.

Article 22. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for regrading and curbing of the grass plot between Front and Main Streets near the junction of said streets, or take any other action in reference thereto.

Article 23. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the removal of the ledge on that portion of Winter Street between Main and Front Streets, or take any other action in reference thereto.

Article 24. (On petition of Daniel Reidy and others.) To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the removal of a ledge on Canterbury Street and for putting said street in passable condition, or take any other action in reference thereto.

Article 25. (On petition of Arthur I. Negus and others representing the Pond Plain Improvement Association.) To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate to resurface Great Pond Road, Pine Circle and Partridge Road, and properly drain the same, or take any other action in reference thereto.

Article 26. (On petition of Arthur I. Negus and others representing the Pond Plain Improvement Association.) To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate to resurface Pond Street from Fountain Square to Independence Square, or take any other action in reference thereto.

Article 27. (On petitions as hereinafter specified.) To see what sum or sums of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the construction of permanent sidewalks on the streets hereinafter set forth, or take any other action in reference thereto:

On Adams Place (on petition of John P. Desmond and others);

On the Northerly side of Union Street from property of Oswald Ralph to the Rockland line (on petition of Fred J. Allen and others);

On Shawmut Street from Pleasant Street to Lake Street (on petition of Charles W. White and others);

On the Northerly side of Randolph Street from Pond Street to Forest Street (on petition of Lida M. MacFeaters and others);

On Lake Street from Charles Street to Middle Street (on petition of Gertrude A. Cassese and others);

On Washington Street from near the residence of Silas Newcomb to Middle Street (on petition of William B. Chalke, Jr., and others);

On Westerly side of Pleasant Street from Wood's Garage to property of Patrick O'Toole (on petition of Daniel Reidy and others);

On Easterly side of Pine Street from Pleasant Street to Elm Street (on petition of Bertha M. Saunders and others);

On West Street from Rockcroft Road to Summer Street on petition of Fred Warren and others);

Request of the Planning Board:

- On the Westerly side of Commercial Street from Cottage Street to Putnam Street;
- On Putnam Street from Commercial Street to Broad Street;
- On South side of Torrey Street from Pleasant Street to Park Avenue;
- On South side of "way" connecting Middle Street and Commercial Street to land now or formerly of Frederick H. Litchfield;
- On South side of Main Street from the end of present sidewalk to Fountain Square;
- On East side of Pearl Street between Crescent Road and Norton Street (on petition of Joshua P. Holbrook and others).

By direction of the Selectmen:

- On the West side of Front Street from Nash's Corner to the residence of Henry Kelley;
- On Front Street from Main Street to Stetson Street;
- On Front Street from Broad Street to and including No. 440 Front Street;
- On Washington Street from Congress Street to the junction of Main Street;
- On Hunt Street from Stetson Street to Washington Street;
- On Keith Street from Richmond Street to Summit Street;
- On Prospect Street from Granite Street to Webb Street;
- On Broad Street from Lincoln Square to No. 177 Broad Street;
- On Broad Street from Stetson Street to Garfield Square;
- On Broad Street from Stetson Street to Front Street.

Article 28. (On petition of Anthony S. Veader and others.) To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purpose of erecting a sea wall on the water side (north side) of Fore River Avenue, extending from the property of the North Weymouth Associates, to the extreme east side of the foot of Sea Street, a distance of approximately nine hundred (900) feet, or take any other action in reference thereto.

Article 29. (On request of the Planning Board.) To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the construction of the Westerly side of Putnam Street at or near the junction of Lafayette Avenue to its full width, or take any other action in reference thereto.

METROPOLITAN ACTIVITIES

(By Direction of the Selectmen)

Article 30. To see what instructions the Town will give its Selectmen and Town Counsel in reference to any bills now pending or which may hereafter be introduced before the General Court providing for the consolidation, federation, or union in any form of Weymouth with any other municipality or municipalities.

Article 31. To see if the Town will accept Chapter 419 of the Acts of 1930.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to petition the General Court for legislation modifying the conditions on which the Town may enter the South Metropolitan Sewerage District, or take any other action in reference thereto.

GOVERNMENTAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES

Article 33. (By direction of the Town Meeting under Article 66 of the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting in 1930.) To see what action the Town will take on a Pension and Retirement Bill for its employees which was ordered to be prepared at the last Annual Town Meeting and to see whether the Town will vote to instruct its Selectmen to petition the Legislature for an enactment of such a bill, or take any other action in reference thereto.

Article 34. (On petition of Fred A. Roulston and others.) To see if the Town will vote to instruct its Selectmen to petition the General Court for legislation providing that members of the Board of Selectmen and members of the Board of Assessors shall be nominated and elected by the respective wards of the Town, or take any other action in reference thereto.

Article 35. (At request of the Inspector of Buildings.) To see if the Town will vote to make the following additions to and changes in its by-laws, or take any other action in reference thereto:

Amend Section 711 by inserting a comma in place of the period at the end of the first sentence thereof and adding, after said comma, the following words: and shall not involve the renewal of more than 20% of the entire area of the roof; and by adding at the end of said section the following new sentence: 'Before renewing the covering of any roof or part thereof the old covering must be removed.'

Add at the end of Section 720 the following sentence: 'If any portion of any building used in whole or in part for human habitation, is used or adapted for a garage or for the storage of any motor vehicle, the ceiling of the room or rooms so used shall be made of metal lath and three coats of cement plaster or of such other construction as would be permissible in a first-class building as defined in Section 710.'

Amend Section 721 by striking out in the second paragraph thereof the words 'for the housing of automobiles.'

Add at the end of Section 799 the following new sentence: 'Until such time as the Town may adopt zoning laws the Board of Appeal shall adopt rules governing its procedure in cases before it, which rules shall provide for a notice to all persons whom it considers will be affected by its decision, for a public hearing

if seasonably demanded by any party, and for the permanent preservation of its decisions in such form that can be examined by the public.'

Add a new section as follows:

ELECTRIC WIRING

SECTION 743. Before the installation or alteration of any electric wiring inside a building or structure as defined by these by-laws, a special permit must be secured from the Inspector of Buildings. All such electric wiring shall be installed or altered under the supervision of the Inspector, and all such installations and alterations shall be in accordance with the 1928 edition of the National Electrical Code, issued by the National Board of Fire Underwriters, provided, however, that the Inspector of Buildings may authorize a relaxation of any of the requirements of said code in any case where he considers that the fire hazard is not appreciably increased thereby.'

Amend Section 798 by adding before the last sentence thereof: 'For a permit to install or alter electric wiring in any building or structure (in addition to the fee for the building or alteration permit)\$1.00' and by inserting in the last sentence before the word 'permit' the words 'or electric wiring.'

(By direction of the Board of Selectmen)

Add a new section to the by-laws reading as follows:

BILLBOARDS

Sec. 622. No billboards, except such as are exempt under sections 30 and 32 of Chapter 93 of the General Laws or may be exempt under any other act hereafter passed exempting any billboards from the control of the Town, shall be erected or maintained in this Town except under and in accordance with the following provisions:

(A) The person erecting or maintaining shall file with the Town Clerk a copy of his license, if any, and permit from the Department of Public Works, to maintain said billboard and the name and address of a person or persons upon whom any notices or other papers relating to said billboard may be served;

(B) Before placing any advertising matter or other words or pictorial device upon said billboard he shall file with the Board of Selectmen a copy of the advertising matter, words or pictorial device or devices proposed to be placed upon said billboard and shall obtain the approval of the Board thereof, and before any change is made in said advertising matter, words or devices, like copies shall be filed and approval obtained.

(C) Whenever the Selectmen, after due notice and a hearing determine that the safety and convenience of travellers on any public or private way require that the distance of any billboard from the ground be increased or that the height or length of any such billboard be decreased, they shall issue an order requiring the person, firm or corporation maintaining said billboard to make said billboard comply with the requirements of said order, and unless said person, firm or corporation shall within thirty days from the service of a copy of said order upon the

person named in clause (A) hereof, or within such further time as the Selectmen may allow, make the distance from the ground, height, or length of said billboard conform with the requirements of said order, the Selectmen may take proceedings under clause (D) hereof:

(D) Whenever it is brought to the attention of the Selectmen that any billboard in the Town violates any provision of these by-laws, of the statutes of the Commonwealth, or of the Rules and Regulations of the Department of Public Works regarding billboards, they may cause an order to be served upon the person named in clause (A) hereof or upon the person, firm or corporation maintaining said billboard requiring such person, firm or corporation forthwith either to make such billboard comply with the provision of said statutes, rules and regulations and by-laws, or to remove the same, and unless the person, firm or corporation maintaining said billboard shall within ten days from the service of a copy of said order comply therewith the Selectmen may take or direct the Town Counsel to take such legal proceedings under the laws of the Commonwealth, as in their judgment the nature of the case shall require.

The foregoing section shall take effect so far as regards billboards thereafter erected upon the first day of the calendar month following its third publication as required by law, and as to all other billboards upon the first day of the third calendar month following such publication, on or before which date all persons, firms, or corporations maintaining billboards which are not exempt under Sections 30 and 32 of Chapter 93 of the General Laws shall file with the Town Clerk and Selectmen the papers required by clauses (A) and (B) thereof.

If any provision of the foregoing by-law shall be held void by any court or disapproved by the Attorney General, it shall not affect the validity of the remaining provisions thereof.

Article 36. (By direction of the Board of Selectmen.) To see what sum or sums the Town will vote to fix as the fee for licenses under the provisions of Section 14 of Chapter 148 of the General Laws as amended, and to see whether the Town will add a new section to its by-laws substantially in the following form embodying the fees so fixed, to wit:

'Section ——. For all original licenses granted under Section 14 of Chapter 148 of the General Laws and acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto, the following fees shall be charged:

or take any other action in reference thereto.

CIVIC CENTER

Article 37. (By request of the Committee on New Town Hall and War Memorial.) To see if the Town will vote to authorize an electric light fixture to be placed on the easterly wall of the second floor corridor of the Town Hall where an opening is left therefor, and to see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for certain supplemental work in connection with the Civic Center, or take any other action in reference thereto.

TRAFFIC SIGNALS

Article 38. (On petition of C. D. Gibson and others.) To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the installation of a traffic tower at Bicknell Square to control all traffic lights on Bridge Street.

Article 39. (As hereinafter specified.) To see what sum or sums of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the installation of traffic signal lights at the following street intersections:

Bridge and Evans Street (on petition of C. D. Gibson and others);

Lincoln Square (at request of the Planning Board and on petition of Frederick A. Sulis and others);

Independence Square (at request of the Planning Board) or take any other action in reference thereto.

PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS

Article 40. (On request of the Committee on Municipal Golf Course.) To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the acquisition under Chapter 80A of the General Laws of the several parcels of land and buildings described in a petition filed by the Inhabitants of the Town of Weymouth against 111.4 Acres of Land, Catherine H. Matthewson et al, Respondents, numbered 23,249 on the current docket of the Superior Court for Norfolk County, as amended, being a portion of the premises described in Article 21 of the warrant for the Special Town Meeting held August 11, 1930, and to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Park Commissioners to prosecute said suit to final judgment for the condemnation of said land, or take any other action in reference thereto.

Article 41. (On request of the Committee on Municipal Golf Course.) To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the construction of a nine-hole golf course on the parcels of land described in the foregoing article and other expenses incidental thereto, or take any other action in reference thereto.

Article 42. (On petition of Fred A. Roulston and others.) To see if the Town will vote to authorize its Board of Park Commissioners to acquire by purchase or take by right of eminent domain for park purpose a certain tract of land with the buildings thereon containing about 13,600 square feet of land, now or late owned by Grace Hillyer, and bounded Southerly by Franklin Street, and Easterly, Northerly and Westerly by land of the Town of Weymouth commonly known as Weston Park, or take any other action in reference thereto, and to see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to acquire the above described land and work the same for park use.

Article 43. (On petition of William A. Hannaford and others.) To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purpose of improving the Humphrey School Grounds for playground purposes, or take any other action in relation thereto.

Article 44. (On petition of Frederick Humphrey and others.) To see if the Town will accept the report of the Park Commissioners for the improvement of the Bicknell Meadow for a playground and to see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for said purpose, to be expended under the direction of the Park Commissioners.

VETERANS' ORGANIZATIONS

Article 45. (On petition of Basil S. Warren and others.) To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to provide permanent quarters for Weymouth Post No. 79, American Legion, as provided by Section 9, Chapter 40, General Laws of Massachusetts and amendments thereto.

Article 46. (At the request of Wessagusset Post, No. 1399.) To see if the Town will vote to accept from Wessagusset Post, No. 1399, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States of America, a mahogany framed copy of the 'Declaration of Independence,' also a mahogany framed copy of the 'Constitution of the United States of America,' same to be hung in a suitable place in the Weymouth High School, or take any other action in reference thereto.

Article 47. (On petition of Joseph A. Fern and others.) To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to provide permanent quarters for Wessagusset Post No. 1399 of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States.

SCHOOLS

(At the Request of the School Department)

Article 48. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for further construction work at Legion Memorial Field, including any street widening that may be necessary contiguous thereto, or take any other action in reference thereto.

Article 49. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the acquisition or purchase of land or parcels of land in the vicinity of the Adams School, and land or parcels of land in the vicinity of the Center Portable School, co-called, for school purposes, and to see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, by loan or otherwise, for such purchase or purchases, and for the construction of additional school buildings in either or both such locations, or take any other action in reference thereto.

Article 50. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the construction at the Weymouth High School of two entrance porticoes and fireproof stairways, and an outside lunchroom at such school, and to raise and appropriate money therefor, or take any other action in reference thereto.

MISCELLANEOUS

Article 51. (At request of Everett E. Callahan.) To see if the town will vote to instruct all boards and committees to appoint the heads of various departments whose salary is \$2,800.00 or over on a

full time basis only, this article to mean that such head of any department is not to accept any outside employment, or take any other action in reference thereto.

Article 52. (By direction of the Selectmen.) To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for building new voting booths and general repairs on the wooden building on Broad Street, formerly occupied as the Ward 2 Fire Engine House, or take any other action in reference thereto.

Article 53. (On petition of John H. Lewis and others.) To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for the prosecution of proceedings, for abatement of the nuisance and injury caused to citizens and property owners in the Town, from accumulations of oil and grease along the shores of Weymouth Fore River and the contamination and polluting of waters of said River and its tributaries.

Article 54. (At request of the Chief of the Fire Department.) To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for fencing the lot of land on which the new Ward 2 Engine House stands, or take any other action in reference thereto.

Article 55. (At request of the Chief of the Fire Department.) To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purchase of a new Squad Truck for the Fire Department.

You are further required to notify and warn said inhabitants of Weymouth qualified to vote in Town affairs, in case all the articles in the foregoing warrant shall not be acted upon at the meeting called for said second day of March, to meet in adjourned session at the hall of the Weymouth High School on Wednesday, the fourth day of March, 1931, at 7 o'clock and forty-five minutes in the evening, then and there to act upon such of the foregoing articles as shall not have been acted upon on March second or action upon which may at said meeting of March second have been deferred until said adjourned session.

You are further required to notify and warn the inhabitants of Weymouth qualified to vote in elections to meet at the polling places in their respective precincts, to wit: In precinct 1, 3 and 5 in the Fire Engine Houses located in those precincts respectively; in precinct 2 at G. A. R. Hall on Commercial Street; in precinct 4 at the building of the Citizens' Association, Inc., on Front Street; in precinct 6 at the old Ward 2 Fire Engine House on the Southerly side of Broad Street; in precinct 7 at the Lovell's Corner Improvement Association building on Washington Street; in precinct 8 at the Weymouth Heights Club building on North Street, Monday, the ninth day of March, 1931, at five o'clock and forty-five minutes in the forenoon, then and there to bring in to the wardens of their several precincts, their votes on one ballot, for the following named public officers, to wit:

Town Clerk for three (3) years;

Town Treasurer;

Five (5) Selectmen;

Two (2) Assessors for three (3) years;
 Two (2) members of the School Committee for three (3) years;
 One (1) Park Commissioner for three (3) years;
 One (1) Water Commissioner for three (3) years;
 Tax Collector;
 One (1) Member of the Board of Health for three (3) years;
 Three (3) Trustees of the Tufts Library for three (3) years;
 Tree Warden;
 Two (2) Members of the Planning Board for three (3) years;
 Annual Moderator;

And for the election of Town Meeting Members from the several voting precincts of the Town as follows:

In Precinct 1: Thirteen (13) Town Meeting Members for three (3) years;

In Precinct 2: Eleven (11) Town Meeting Members for three (3) years; Two (2) Town Meeting Members for one (1) year to fill vacancies; One (1) Town Meeting Member for two (2) years to fill a vacancy;

In Precinct 3: Fifteen (15) Town Meeting Members for three (3) years;

In Precinct 4: Six (6) Town Meeting Members for three (3) years; One (1) Town Meeting Member for one (1) year to fill a vacancy;

In Precinct 5: Seventeen (17) Town Meeting Members for three (3) years;

In Precinct 6: Twelve (12) Town Meeting Members for three (3) years;

In Precinct 7: Six (6) Town Meeting Members for three (3) years;

In Precinct 8: Four (4) Town Meeting Members for three (3) years.

THE POLLS WILL BE CLOSED AT FOUR O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON

You are directed to serve this warrant by posting a copy thereof, attested by you in writing, in each of two public places in each voting precinct in said Town, seven days at least before the time for holding the first meeting called for in this warrant.

Hereof fail not, make due return of this warrant with your doings to the Town Clerk of said Town, on or before the twenty-fourth day of February, 1931.

Given under our hands at Weymouth this twenty-sixth day of January in the year of our Lord Nineteen Hundred and Thirty-one.

WILLIAM A. CONNELL,
 FRED E. WAITE,
 H. FRANKLIN PERRY,
 WILLIAM A. HANNAFORD,
 Selectmen of Weymouth.

A true copy. Attest:

Constable of Weymouth.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Norfolk ss.

Weymouth, February 21, 1931

Pursuant to the within warrant I have this day notified and warned the inhabitants of Weymouth aforesaid to meet at the respective places and times as set forth in said warrant, by posting true and attested copies of the same in two public places in each voting precinct in said town seven days before the time of holding said meeting.

Edward F. Butler,
Constable of Weymouth.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

March 2, 1931

Pursuant to the within warrant the annual meeting of the inhabitants of Weymouth, represented by its duly elected and qualified Town Meeting Members, was held at the hall of the Weymouth High School, East Weymouth, on Monday evening, the second day of March, 1931.

The meeting was called to order at seven o'clock and forty-five minutes by the Town Clerk, who informed the meeting owing to the sickness of the Annual Moderator, it would be necessary to elect a Moderator pro tem.

Mr. John F. Dwyer moved and it was voted: that the Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, William A. Connell deposit one ballot bearing the name of Frederic Gilbert Bauer as Moderator pro tem. Mr. Bauer was sworn as Moderator by the Town Clerk.

The Moderator requested William A. Connell and H. Franklin Perry to escort Rev. Nathan W. Wood, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Weymouth to the platform, who invoked the blessing of the Ruler of the Universe upon the deliberations of this meeting.

Before proceeding to the business of the evening Francis H. Maguire, Jr., Earl S. Porter and Oakley A. Kunz were sworn as Town Meeting Members.

The Moderator requested the Town Clerk to read the warrant, after reading the call for the meeting, it was voted: That the further reading of the articles in the warrant be omitted, as each Member had a copy of the same, the Town Clerk then read the last three paragraphs of the warrant and the attestation of the Constable who served the warrant.

Mr. Howard M. Dowd offered the following resolution:

Whereas, Parker T. Pearson, for thirty-three years the efficient Superintendent of Schools has been offered the position of Superintendent of Schools in the Town of Arlington;

BE IT RESOLVED that we the citizens of Weymouth in Annual Town Meeting assembled do hereby express our appreciation of the work done here by Mr. Pearson, our respect and esteem as

an educator, a Town Official and a citizen, and our earnest belief that the Town cannot afford to lose his services at this time, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that inasmuch as we believe that Mr. Pearson by reason of his long residence in Weymouth and his acquaintance with local conditions can advance the cause of education as much by remaining here as by entering upon the new field of activity which has been offered to him, we now hereby request the School Committee of the Town of Arlington to release him from any legal engagements into which he may have entered to the end that he may continue in the work which he has so successfully carried on in Weymouth.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that attested copies of these resolutions be furnished to Mr. Pearson, and that the Moderator appoint a committee of three to wait upon the School Committee of Arlington with a copy of these resolutions and request Mr. Pearson's release.

The question on the adoption of these resolutions was by a rising vote and was unanimous.

The Moderator appointed Newland H. Holmes as a committee to retire and telephone to the family of George L. Barnes, Annual Moderator, and wish for him a speedy recovery from his illness.

Budget

Article 1. Voted: To provide for the salaries, operation and expenses during the current fiscal year of the several town's department and activities, for certain permanent improvements and to meet certain requirements of the law, the several sums hereinafter set forth are hereby appropriated for the several purposes and subject to the conditions hereinafter specified, all such sums to be raised by taxation in the levy of the current year unless some other source of revenue is expressed.

A. General Government

Item 1.	For all expenses of the Appropriation Committee.	\$600.00
	Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.	
Item 2.	For salaries and expenses of the Selectmen's Department.	9,563.90
	Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.	
Item 3.	For the salaries and all expenses of the Town Accountant's Department.	6,000.00
	Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.	
Item 4.	For the salary of the Town Treasurer and all expenses of the Treasurer's Dep't.	2,467.70
	Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.	
Item 5.	For the compensation of the tax Collector and all expenses of the Tax Collecting Department.	8,011.72
	Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.	

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| Item 6. | For the salaries and all expenses of the Assessors' Department.
Voted: the same be tentatively adopted. | 10,470.00 |
| Item 7. | For the salary of the Town Counsel and all expenses of the Legal Department of which sum \$2,500. shall be for the payment of damages.
Voted: the same be tentatively adopted. | 6,150.00 |
| Item 8. | For the salary of the Town Clerk and all expenses of the Town Clerk's Department including copying, binding and indexing the Town Records.
Voted: the same be tentatively adopted. | 4,060.00 |
| Item 9. | For the compensation of Election Officials, including the Board of Registrars of Voters and all expenses of elections, primaries and the registration of voters.
Voted: the same be tentatively adopted. | 1,954.00 |
| Item 10. | For all expenses of the Engineering Department including the town survey and placing of bound stones, the making of street surveys and such other engineering work connected with any of the town departments as may be authorized by the Selectmen.
Voted: the same be tentatively adopted. | 5,825.00 |
| Item 11. | For all expenses of the Planning Board.
Voted: the same be tentatively adopted. | 500.00 |
| Item 12. | For the maintenance of the Town Hall and War Memorials at the Civic Center, including the grounds, to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen.
Voted: the same be tentatively adopted. | 8,525.00 |
| Item 13. | For the maintenance of the Civil War Soldiers Monument and the King Philip's War Memorial, including the grounds, to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen.
Voted: the same be tentatively adopted. | 200.00 |

B. Protection of Persons and Selectmen

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| Item 14. | For the salaries and all expenses of the Police Department of which sum \$1,188 shall be for the procuring of two new automobiles in exchange for those now in use and \$250. for the enforcement of the liquor law. | 72,510.00 |
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Mr. Everett Callahan moved as an amendment that the sum of \$250. for the enforcement of the liquor law be taken out of the total amount.

This amendment was put before the meeting and it was declared not a vote. The motion as offered by the Appropriation Committee was put before the meeting and it was tentatively adopted.

- Item 15. For the salaries and all expenses of the Fire Department. 63,570.78

Mr. Dennis McCarthy moved as an amendment that the sum of \$720. be added to the above amount for the salaries of the call men of the Fire Dep't. The Moderator appointed Melville F. Cate, Charles S. Bicknell and Walter E. Gutterson as tellers and they were sworn as such by the Moderator.

The tellers reported: 85 voting in the affirmative and 58 in the negative, the Moderator declared the amendment carried.

The motion as amended was then put before the meeting and it was tentatively adopted, making a total of

64,290.78

- Item 16. Omitted.

- Item 17. For hydrant rental. 16,500.00

Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.

- Item 18. For the compensation of the Building Inspector and all other expenses of the Building Inspector's Department. 3,250.00

Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.

- Item 19. For compensation of the Sealers of Weights and Measurers and all other expenses of the Department. 1,600.00

Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.

- Item 20. For Gypsy Moth and other Insect Pest extermination of which sum \$1,225. shall be for the purchase of a power sprayer. 8,320.00

Mr. Everett Callahan moved as an amendment that the amount be \$9,000. and the Tree Warden be instructed to purchase two trucks not to exceed \$1,500.

This amendment was put before the meeting and it was declared not a vote. The motion as offered by the Appropriation Committee was then put before the meeting and it was tentatively adopted.

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| Item 21. | For the care of Shade Trees.
Voted: the same be tentatively adopted. | 2,200.00 |
| Item 22. | For Street Lighting including the lighting until midnight each night of the Memorial Cross.
Voted: the same be tentatively adopted. | 37,989.00 |
| Item 22. | For the Harbor Master including salary and expenses, the salary not to exceed \$25.00.
Voted: the same be tentatively adopted. | 275.00 |

C. Health and Sanitation

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| Item 24. | For the salaries and all expenses of the Board of Health, which sum shall include the payment of compensation for investigation to a member of the Board and the payment of the established rate of compensation to a member of the Board as an Inspector should the Board appoint one of its own members to such a position.
Voted: the same be tentatively adopted. | 10,800.00 |
| Item 25. | For the employment of Nurses under the direction of the Board of Selectmen who are hereby authorized to contract with the Weymouth Visiting Nurse Association to furnish the services of one or more nurses in cases where such services are a proper charge against the town
Voted: the same be tentatively adopted. | 2,000.00 |
| Item 26. | For the maintenance of the Norfolk County Tuberculosis Hospital.
Voted: the same be tentatively adopted. | 10,810.95 |
| Item 27. | Omitted. | |
| Item 28. | For the collection of Garbage to be expended under the direction of the Board Selectmen who shall arrange for the collection and disposal of garbage by contract, which shall expire either Dec. 1, 1931 or Dec. 1, 1932, all contracts for one year or more to be let after public notice and the submission of bids.
Provided that if a contract expiring Dec. 1, 1931 shall be let, the Selectmen are authorized to relet after public notice and bids, a contract for the year next ensuing. | 11,000.00 |

Mr. George E. Cunniff moved as an amendment: That all bids to be limited to citizens and taxpayers of the Town of Weymouth, and that the contract be let to the lowest bidder complying with the regulations.

This amendment was put before the meeting and it was so voted.

Mr. William B. Dasha moved to amend by adding "all garbage to be removed from the town."

This amendment was put before the meeting and it was so voted.

Mr. Charles S. Bicknell moved to amend by adding the word "responsible" after the word "lowest."

This amendment was put before the meeting and was declared not a vote.

The original motion as offered by the Appropriation Committee as amended by the amendments of Mr. Cunniff and Mr. Dasha was then put before the meeting.

Voted: The motion be divided.

Mr. Cunniff by unanimous consent of the meeting withdrew the second part of his amendment.

The motion as amended was then put before the meeting and it was so voted. The motion as amended is as follows:

For the collection of garbage to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen who shall arrange for the collection and disposal by contract, which contract shall expire either Dec. 1, 1931 or Dec. 1, 1932, all contracts for one year or more to be let after public notice and the submission of bids, provided, that if a contract expiring Dec. 1, 1931 shall be let the Selectmen are authorized to relet after public notice and bids, a contract for the next year ensuing, bids to be limited to Citizens and Taxpayers of the Town of Weymouth, all garbage to be removed from the Town.

Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.

Item 29. For Charities.

79,870.00

In addition to which sum the further amount of \$25,000. shall be raised and appropriated for the purpose of providing work for persons in need of assistance who are or are in danger of becom-

ing chargeable to the Town of Weymouth for support. This sum shall be used for such highway, drainage and other public works as the Selectmen and Supt. of Streets may determine. The first charge against said appropriation to be not over \$5,000.00 for working Lakehurst Avenue, commencing at Pleasant Street and working continuously toward Washington Street, provided the Town accepts said street and the second charge to be the drainage of Partridge Road and adjacent streets.

The work herein provided for shall be done independently of the regular Street Department work, no employee of the Street Department shall be employed thereon except for superintendence or to operate motor vehicles or road machinery and no person who is furnished work hereinunder in lieu of assistance shall be paid at a higher rate than \$4.00 per day and at a like rate for portions of a day and no person shall be employed more days in any week than in the judgement of the Selectmen will be sufficient to provide sustenance for such person and his lawful dependents nor shall any person be so employed who has not a legal settlement in the Town of Weymouth.

Mr. Francis H. Maguire, Jr. moved as an amendment to strike out the words "and no person who is furnished work hereunder in lieu of assistance shall be paid at a higher rate than \$4.00 per day" and insert the words "any person employed on such work shall receive regular street department wages."

This amendment was put before the meeting and it was declared not a vote. Mr. Everett Callahan moved as an amendment: That the sum be \$120,000.00 instead of \$79,870.00.

This amendment was put before the meeting and it was declared not a vote. The original motion as offered by the Appropriation Committee was put before the meeting and it was tentatively adopted.

- Item 30. For Soldiers benefits, including State and Military aid and Soldiers relief and the burial of indigent Soldiers and Sailors.
Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.

17,000.00

- Item 31. Old Age Assistance under General Laws, Chapter 118A. 1,000.00
 Which appropriation together with the sum of \$79,870.00 appropriated for Charities under Item 29 shall be accounted for and disbursed as one fund.
 Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.
- Item 32. For Pensions. 912.50
 Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.

E. Miscellaneous

- Item 33. For the Highway Department.
- A. For salaries and general maintenance. 110,500.00
 Of which sum \$8,550. shall be for the purchase of a two and one-half ton truck and an eight ton Gas Roller.
 Mr. Peter A. Gallant moved as an amendment: that the Selectmen be authorized to take such money that the Appropriation Committee recommend for a truck and roller, this money to be spent for a gas shovel and a common land plow.
 This amendment was put before the meeting and was declared not a vote. The original motion as offered by the Appropriation Committee was put before the meeting and it was tentatively adopted.
- B. For the removal of snow. 10,000.00
 Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.
- C. For the permanent construction of streets upon which sum the construction of Pond St. from Independence Square to the New Haven R. R. and of Middle St. between Washington and Main Sts. shall be a first charge, provided, however, that after Dec. 1, 1931, the foregoing three appropriations shall be accounted for and disbursed as one fund. 25,000.00
 Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.
- D. For the permanent construction of sidewalks. 21,250.00
 To be expended as follows:
 For a permanent sidewalk on the Northeasterly side of Union St.,

southerly from the residence of Oswald Ralph.	2,000.00
For a permanent sidewalk on Lake St. between Charles and Middle Sts.	800.00
For a permanent sidewalk on Washington St. between the residence of Silas W. Newcomb and Middle St.	2,000.00
For a permanent sidewalk on the westerly side of Pleasant St. between Woods Garage and property of Patrick O'Toole.	2,850.00
For a permanent sidewalk on the easterly side of Pine St. between Pleasant and Elm Sts.	1,000.00
For a permanent sidewalk on the southerly side of West St. between Rockcroft Rd. and Summer St.	2,000.00
For a sidewalk on the southerly side of Commercial St. between Cottage and Putnam Sts.	2,475.00
For a permanent sidewalk on Putnam St. between Broad and Commercial Streets.	750.00
For a permanent sidewalk on the westerly side of Washington St. between Congress and the junction of Main and Washington Sts.	1,425.00
For a permanent sidewalk on the southerly side of Broad St. from Lincoln Sq. to No. 177 Broad St.	500.00
For a permanent sidewalk on Broad St. between Stetson and Front Sts.	650.00
For a permanent sidewalk on Pearl St.	500.00
For a curbing on the southerly side of the way connecting Middle and Commercial Sts. in front of Legion Memorial Field.	300.00
For repairs on existing sidewalks and miscellaneous sidewalk construction.	5,000.00
Provided, however, that after the construction herein specified on each of said streets has been completed, any unexpended balances of the sums herein allocated may be spent upon any other of the sidewalks herein specified or for the repairs of existing sidewalks.	
Voted: these sub-items be tentatively adopted.	

- Item 34. For the support of the public schools. 427,700.00

And in case the present Superintendent of Schools shall continue in office after July 1, 1931, an additional sum of \$3,000. wherein one-half shall be for an increase in the salary of the Superintendent and the other half for clerical assistance to the Superintendent.

Mr. Howard M. Dowd in an eloquent appeal moved to amend this sum to 430,700., so voted.

The motion as offered by the Appropriation Committee as amended was tentatively adopted.

- Item 35. For the maintenance of Tufts Library and its branches as the same existed on February 28, 1931. 21,505.00

Voted: the same be tentatively adopted. For maintenance of the Fogg Library Reading Room to be disbursed from vouchers signed by the Librarian thereof. 1,500.00

Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.

Voted: In addition to these sums there are hereby appropriated for the purposes specified by their respective donors the income from the Quincy Tufts, Augustus Richards, Joseph E. Trask, Susannah Hunt Stetson, Charles Q. Tirrell, Francis Flint Forsaith and Charles Henry Pratt Funds.

- Item 36. For the observance of Memorial Day. 900.00

To be expended under the direction of a committee of nine to be appointed from the several Veteran and Hereditary Organizations by the Moderator, who shall designate the Chairman, which Committee shall allocate among the several organizations the direct responsibility for the decoration of the several cemeteries and the purchase of decorations subject to the committee's supervision, and said committee shall be reimbursed from this appropriation for the amount so expended on filing with the Town Accountant evidence that the marked graves of soldiers of all wars in the cemeteries under their respective charge have been decorated without discrimination.

Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.

- Item 37. Omitted.

- Item 38 For Parks and Playgrounds to be disbursed under the direction of the Park Commissioners. 10,715.00
 Of which sum \$1,200. shall be for improving the top of Great Hill, but no portion of this money shall be expended until the Park Commissioners shall have caused the Town Engineer to prepare a comprehensive plan for the development of Great Hill Park.
 Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.
- Item 39. Miscellaneous expenses, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen. 2,185.00
 Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.
- Item 40. For unpaid bills as follows:
 Fire Department 28.25
 Memorial Day Committee 10.00
 Repairing King Phillip's Memorial 5.20
 Assessors 207.20
 Tercentenary Committee 57.05
 Board of Health 360.66
 of which sum 342.90 is for inspection work. done by a member of the Board which is hereby ratified.
 Street Department 2,447.98
 In the aggregate 3,116.34
 Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.
- Item 41. For overdrafts under General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 31. 3,651.45
 Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.

F. Public Enterprises

- Item 42. For the expenses of the Water Department all of which sums shall be paid from the revenue of said Department.
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| A. None | |
| B. For minor construction | 16,000.00 |
| C. For maintenance and operation | 30,000.00 |
| D. Replacements | 10,000.00 |
| E. Equipment | 4,000.00 |
| which sum may be used in part to replace the present motor vehicles of the Department. | |
| F. For Commercial Expenses | 8,500.00 |
| G. For Salaries | 2,075.00 |
| H. For Interest | 5,622.50 |
| I. For Debt Retirement | 17,467.00 |
| J. Omitted. | |
- Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.

- Item 43. For the operation of the Alewife Fishery 500.00
Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.

G. Care of Graves

- Item 44. For the care of soldiers' graves under General Laws, Chapter 115, Section 22, including the placing of new markers and replacing old ones which have become lost or damaged, provided, however, that all markers hereafter placed shall be set in the ground in such a manner that they cannot readily be removed or displaced. 1,000.00
Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.

- Item 45. For the care of old cemeteries under Section 16 and 18 of Chapter 114 of the General Laws to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen. 1,500.00
Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.

- Item 46. For continuing the work of making a survey of the cemeteries in the town, to be expended under the direction of the Town Engineer. 500.00
Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.

H. Interest and Debt Requirements

- Item 47. For Interest and Discount 62,000.00
Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.
- Item 48. For the Retirements of bonds and notes. 81,858.00
Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.

I. Insurance

- Item 49. For the Municipal Insurance Fund. 5,000.00
Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.
- Item 50. For overdue Fire Insurance. 1,800.00
Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.

J. Reserve Fund

- Item 51. For Reserve Fund. 25,000.00
Voted: the same be tentatively adopted.
Voted: of the sums herein appropriated \$200.00 of the appropriation for the Selectmen's Department, \$100.00 of the appropriation for the Police Department, \$100.00 of the appropriation for the Fire Department, \$100.00 of the appropriation for the Highway Department and \$50.00 of the appropria-

tion for the Tufts Library shall be available for travelling expenses of the officers and employees of said Departments outside the Commonwealth in securing information upon matters which may tend to improve the services in their respective Departments, and whenever any official whose compensation is at the rate of \$1,000.00 a year or less shall be required to leave the town for the purpose of attending on behalf of the town any hearing before an administrative board or official or before a court or otherwise than as a witness, the Selectmen may allow him not exceeding \$10.00 per day for the time so consumed, in addition to the salary or emoluments of his position hereinbefore fixed or otherwise fixed in accordance with law.

And further provided that no monies appropriated herein or under any other Article of the warrant shall be available for the purchase of motor vehicles other than fire apparatus, trucks of more than two tons capacity and tractors unless the same shall be purchased from dealers living or having an established place of business in Weymouth.

And further provided that except as herein expressly authorized under Items 23 and 34 and except insofar as salaries may be increased in accordance with a sliding scale in force on January 1, 1931, no portion of the monies herein appropriated shall be used to pay any person a fixed salary in excess of that which he was receiving in the month of January, 1931.

Provided further that the salaries of elective officers shall remain as last fixed by the Town.

Further provided that no monies herein appropriated shall be used for the purchase of motor vehicles except as hereinbefore expressly authorized or in the case of a transfer from the Reserve Fund under General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 6.

Mr. Stuart Briggs moved to reconsider the tentative adoption of Item 15. The motion was put before the meeting and it was declared not a vote.

The question of the adoption of the Budget Items under Article 1 was then put before the meeting and it was declared a unanimous vote.

Article 2. Voted: That all committees who have not rendered a final report until the work under their charge is completed be continued.

Article 3. Voted Unanimously: That the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the fiscal year beginning January 1, 1931 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year from that date and that any debt or debts incurred under this vote be paid from the revenue of the fiscal year in which they are contracted.

Article 4. Voted unanimously: That the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized on and after January 1, 1932 to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the fiscal year beginning January 1, 1932 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year from that date and that any debt or debts incurred under this vote be paid from the revenue of the fiscal year in which they were contracted.

Article 5. Voted: To appropriate the sum of \$75,000.00 from Surplus for the use of the Assessors in determining the tax rate for the year 1931.

Article 6. Voted: That the salary of the Tax Collector be six mills on each dollar of taxes collected, and that the Selectmen be authorized and instructed to insure the Tax Collector in the sum of \$15,000.00 hold-up insurance; and further that in any case where the Building Inspector certifies to the Tax Collector that the building on any property where taxes are unpaid is not in conformity with the building laws, the Collector shall instead of selling the property, take the same for the Town under General Laws, Chapter 60, Sections 53 and following. The time of payment and rates of interest on unpaid taxes to be fixed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 59, Section 57 of the General Laws.

Article 7. Motion offered by the Appropriation Committee: That the Selectmen be authorized to sell or otherwise dispose of all real estate of which the town has possession for non-payment of taxes, and to execute and acknowledge sufficient deeds thereof, all such sales of real estate to be by public auction unless in the opinion of the Selectmen the fair value of the property to be sold in each case does not exceed \$100.00 in which case and in the case of all sales of personal property the sale may be made by public auction or private sale as the Selectmen may deem for the best interests of the Town, and that the Board or Officer in charge of any other Town

Department may, with the approval of the Board of Selectmen, sell at public auction or private sale as the Board of Selectmen may approve, any personal property belonging to said department which in the opinion of the Officer or Board in charge of the Department is no longer needed by the Town and which in the opinion of the Selectmen is not needed by any other Town Department. Mr. John F. Dwyer moved as an amendment: That the Town convey to Mr. William Jones of Brighton the four lots of land off Union Street, (numbered 306-307-308-309 Pine Grove Park) giving him a deed for the same, in which he holds a receipt therefor.

This amendment was put before the meeting and it was so voted.

The motion as offered by the Appropriation Committee as amended was then put before the meeting and it was so voted.

Article 8. Voted: That the Board of Selectmen be authorized to accept conveyances or mortgages of any real or personal property belonging to persons receiving poor relief and to dispose of said property under the provisions of Article 7 in such manner as they may judge for the best interests of the Town and where said property is subject to any incumbrance if they consider it for the best interest of the Town to discharge said incumbrance they are hereby authorized to do so and the sum of \$1.00 is hereby appropriated from surplus for the purpose of discharging any such incumbrance.

Article 9. Voted: That all insurance money which the Town may receive between now and the next Annual Town Meeting for the destruction or damage by fire or lightning of any Town property is hereby appropriated for the purpose of replacing or repairing the property so destroyed or damaged and with the approval of the Board in charge of the Municipal Building Insurance Fund may be paid out for said purpose on the order of the Board or Official in charge of the Department having control of the property so destroyed or damaged. Voted further that in case any Town property not covered by insurance or of which the Town is co-insurer under any provision of the policy shall be destroyed or damaged by fire or lightning before the next Annual Town Meeting, the Board in charge of the Municipal Building Insurance Fund are hereby authorized to pay from said fund and its accumulations of interest for the replacing or repairing of said property and a sum not exceeding the fair replacement value of the uninsured property so destroyed or damaged and not exceeding the Town's proportion of said fair replacement value of any property of which the Town is a co-insurer.

Article 10. Voted: That the sum of \$7,500.00 be raised by loan and appropriated for the construction of water mains of six inches or more in diameter, and that the Treasurer of the Town be and hereby is authorized with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow said sum of \$7,500.00 for said purpose, said bonds or notes to be payable in accordance with the provisions of Section 19 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, so that the whole shall be paid in not more than fifteen years.

The tellers reported 134 voting in the affirmative and none in the negative, a unanimous vote.

Article 11. Voted to appropriate not to exceed \$20,000.00 from the General Fund of the Water Department for the purpose of paying for work done by said Department for private parties, payment for such work to revert to the General Fund of the Water Department.

Article 12. Motion offered by the Appropriation Committee: To re-affirm the action taken under Article 35 of the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting in 1928, Article 12 of the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting in 1929, and Article 18 of the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting in 1930 authorizing the Board of Water Commissioners to acquire by gift or purchase or take by right of eminent domain for the purpose of protecting the Town's water supply certain land lying within the water shed of Great Pond and not already owned by the Town, and that the sum of \$16,000.00 be appropriated from the General Fund of the Water Department for the purpose of the acquisition of said land, including the expense of any legal proceedings connected therewith.

Mr. Frank H. Hale, Jr. moved as an amendment: That no further action be taken at this time on this article but that it be referred to a committee appointed by the Moderator to investigate and report at the next Annual Town Meeting.

The question of this amendment was put before the meeting and it was declared not a vote.

The question on the motion as offered by the Appropriation Committee was then put before the meeting and a count by the tellers who reported 94 voting in the affirmative and 4 in the negative, the Moderator declared the motion carried.

Mr. Daniel O'Donnell moved: That a committee of five be appointed by the Moderator to look into the matter of pollution of Great Pond (as stated by Mr. Hale in his remarks) and report at a future meeting.

This question was put before the meeting and it was so voted.

Article 13. Voted. That the Board of Selectmen be authorized to accept on behalf of the Town deeds of any land adjoining parcels taken by the Town in the vicinity of Great Pond for the protection of the water supply and that any such acquisitions already made are hereby ratified and affirmed, and the Board of Selectmen are hereby authorized to convey said lands or any of them in full or partial settlement of any claims for damages for land taken for the purpose of preserving the purity of the water supply or in case they cannot be so disposed of to sell the same in the manner provided in the vote under Article 7 of the warrant for this meeting.

Article 14. Voted: No action be taken under this article.

Article 15. Voted: No action be taken under this article.

Article 16. Voted: That the Board of Selectmen be authorized to accept from the Edison Electric Illuminating Co. of Boston a suitable site for a standpipe in North Weymouth and the Water Department be instructed to prepare plans and obtain bids for such a standpipe.

Article 17. Voted: That the Town accept the several reports of the Board of Selectmen laying out as Town ways the following private ways and parts of ways, to wit:

A portion of Puritan Road as described in the layout of the Selectmen and shown on the plan on file.

Sycamore Road; A portion of White Park as described in the layout of the Selectmen and shown on the plan on file.

A portion of Pierce Road as described in the layout of the Selectmen and shown on the plan on file.

Mount Vernon Road East; Mount Vernon Road West; Mount Ida Road; Woronoco Road; Lakehurst Avenue; Drew Avenue; A portion of Glendale Road as described in the layout of the Selectmen and shown on the plan on file; and that the Board of Selectmen be authorized to acquire by gift or take by right of eminent domain an easement for all purposes of a public street and highway in and over each of said streets and portions of streets as so laid out and accepted and that the following sums of money be raised and appropriated for the working of said streets including the acquisition of the foregoing easements, to wit:

Puritan Road	\$2,930.00
Sycamore Road	1,875.00
White Park	1,500.00
Pierce Road	1,500.00
Mt. Vernon Road East	1.00
Mt. Vernon Road West	1,950.00
Mt. Ida Road	1.00
Glendale Road	2,000.00
Woronoco Road	1,500.00
Lakehurst Avenue	1.00
Drew Avenue	1,000.00

Being in the aggregate \$14,258.00 which sum shall be expended under the direction of the Superintendent of Streets insofar as the Selectmen may expend a portion of the same for the acquisition of said easements, and further provided that any unexpended balances from the appropriations made for any of the foregoing streets shall be available for any other of said streets or for any general highway purposes; and voted further that the Selectmen be and hereby are authorized to accept deeds of any reservation strips, so called existing in connection with any of said streets; provided, however, that no money shall be paid out or expended for the working of any of said streets until the Town Counsel files with the Town Accountant a certificate that a release which he regards as sufficient covering said street has been delivered to him.

The tellers reported 147 voting in the affirmative and none in the negative, a unanimous vote.

Article 18. Voted: Voted to accept the several reports of the Selectmen relocating the following intersections and portions of certain streets in the Town, to wit:

The junction of North and Neck Streets;

The junction of Lake and Charles Streets;

Bayview Street at its junction with Babcock Avenue;

The junction of Bartlett Street and Babcock Avenue;

The junction of Broad and Spring Streets;

Iron Hill Street between property of the Weymouth Power Company and property of Jeremiah S. Connell;

The junction of Torrey Street and Park Avenue,

and that the Board of Selectmen be and hereby are authorized to acquire by gift or take by right of eminent domain an easement for all purposes of a public street and highway in and over the land located within the limits of said relocation, and that the following sums of money be raised and appropriated for the working of said streets as so relocated, including the acquisition of the foregoing easements:

For the junction of North and Neck Streets	\$360.00
For the junction of Lake and Charles Streets	35.00
For Bayview Street at its junction with Babcock Avenue	25.00
For the junction of Bartlett Street and Babcock Avenue	25.00
For the junction of Broad and Spring Streets	325.00
For Iron Hill Street between property of the Weymouth Water Power Co. and property of Jeremiah S. Connell	50.00
For the junction of Torrey Street and Park Avenue	50.00

Being in the aggregate the sum of \$870.00, which sums shall be expended under the direction of the Superintendent of Streets, insofar as the Selectmen may expend a portion of the same for the acquisition of said easements; provided, that any unexpended balance be available for the construction of any other intersections and other highway purposes; and further provided that the Town hereby abandons all right in and over such portion of Iron Hill Street as is at present existing the limits of said street after said relocation shall have been made, and that the Selectmen are authorized to give a release thereof to the abutter or abutters on the portion so abandoned.

The tellers reported 139 voting in the affirmative and none in the negative, a unanimous vote.

Article 19. Voted: That no action be taken under this article, as the subject matter of this article is taken care of under Item 33, Article 1.

Article 20. Voted: That no action be taken under this article, as the subject matter of this article is taken care of under Item 33, Article 1.

Article 21. Voted: That the Street Department be and hereby are authorized to perform work for private parties at a price to be fixed by the Superintendent of Streets, but in no case for less than the cost of such work to the Town; and that to meet the initial expenses of such work the sum of \$1,000.00 be raised and appropriated; provided, that all monies received for such work shall constitute a rotating fund which may be expended for similar work under the above conditions, and all said monies are hereby specifically appropriated for said purpose.

Article 22. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$820.00 for regrading and curbing a portion of the grass plot between Front and Main Streets, near the junction of said streets the determination of what portion of said grass plot shall be worked with this appropriation to be made by the Superintendent of Streets, and the money to be expended under his direction.

Article 23. Voted: That no action be taken under this article.

Article 24. Mr. Heffernan of the Appropriation Committee moved: That no action be taken under this article.

Mr. Frederic Humphrey moved as a substitute motion: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,200.00 for the purpose of this article (removal of a ledge on Canterbury Street).

The question on the substitute motion was put before the meeting and was declared not a vote.

More than seven members doubted the vote, a recount was ordered.

On the recount 40 voted in the affirmative and 87 in the negative, the motion was declared lost.

The question on the motion of the Appropriation Committee as offered by Mr. Heffernan was then put before the meeting and it was so voted.

Article 25. Voted: That no action be taken under this article.

Article 26. Voted: That no action be taken under this article.

Article 27. Voted: That no action be taken under this article.

Article 28. Mr. Heffernan of the Appropriation Committee moved: That no action be taken under this article.

Mr. John Griffin moved as an amendment: That the sum of \$3,500.00 be raised and appropriated for the erection of a sea wall from the North Weymouth Yacht Club to the easterly boundary line of Holbrook Road.

Mr. William B. Dasha asked further time in which to prepare an amendment which was granted, by the Moderator and the meeting proceeded to the next article.

Article 29. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$250.00 for constructing the westerly side of Putnam Street near its junction with Lafayette Avenue to the full width of the layout.

Voted: On motion of Mr. Charles S. Bicknell: That the meeting do now adjourn until the time as stated in the warrant, Wednesday evening, March 4, 1931. (Meeting adjourned at 11 o'clock.)

215 Town Meeting Members names were checked by Police Officers stationed at the doors out of 256 Members eligible.

CLAYTON B. MERCHANT, Town Clerk.

CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that the following notice was posted in ten or more public places in the Town as provided under Section 3 of Chapter 61 of the Acts of 1921 as amended by Section 3 of Chapter 13 of the Acts of 1930.

CLAYTON B. MERCHANT, Town Clerk.

NOTICE OF ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Town Meeting of the Town of Weymouth held on March 2, 1931, adjourned to meet at the hall of the Weymouth High School on WEDNESDAY, March 4, 1931, at seven o'clock and forty-five minutes in the evening, to consider the articles in the warrant commencing with Article 28 and 30 to 55 inclusive.

(seal)

CLAYTON B. MERCHANT, Town Clerk.

Wednesday, March 4, 1931

The time to which the Annual Town Meeting adjourned having arrived as provided in the warrant for said meeting, the meeting was called to order at 7:50 o'clock p. m., by Frederic Gilbert Bauer, Moderator pro tem. Rev. Nathan W. Wood, offered Divine Blessing.

Before proceeding to the business of the evening the following resolution was offered by Thomas J. Kelley:

WHEREAS, our fellow-citizen, John H. Stetson, Treasurer of the Town of Weymouth, has declined further re-election to that office after an uninterrupted service of forty-six years, a record seldom if ever equalled in the history of the Commonwealth,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that we the citizens of Weymouth, in Annual Town Meeting assembled, do hereby record our appreciation of Mr. Stetson's long and faithful service to our Town; and we extend to him in his retirement our best wishes for his continued health and prosperity and for that happiness which comes from a sense of duty well performed and from the merited esteem of his fellow-townsmen.

Be it further resolved that a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to Mr. Stetson and also spread on the records of the Town.

These resolutions were seconded by Mr. William A. Connell and were adopted by a unanimous rising vote of the Town Meeting Members present.

The following letter was presented to the meeting from Mr. Bates Torrey, President of the Weymouth Historical Society.

13 Tower Avenue, South Weymouth, Mass.

March 4, 1931

In a letter from the Massachusetts Commission for the celebration of the 200th anniversary of the birth of GEORGE WASHINGTON, this request is made:

The Commission invites you to communicate with the Chairman of the Selectmen of your community with regard to the formation of a George Washington Bicentennial Committee of one or more members.

The object for, and the duties of, such a committee are obvious, and the receipt of this suggestion is timely; for it would seem that the Annual Town Meeting is the proper body to act in this matter.

Weymouth Historical Society

Bates Torrey, President.

Voted: That a committee of one or more be appointed by the Moderator to act in regard to the above request.

Article 28. Mr. John Griffin offered the following substitute motion to his amendment of March 2, 1931, no objection the motion was accepted:

Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$8,500.00 for the purpose of erecting a sea wall on the North side of Fore River Avenue from the property of the North Weymouth Associates to the easterly line of Sea Street, the work to be done under the direction of the Street Department; provided, however, that before any work shall be done or money expended beyond the easterly layout of Fore River Avenue as accepted by the Town on March 6, 1916, a deed, in such form as the Town Counsel shall approve, conveying to the Town the side of the sea wall and such adjacent lands, foreshore and easements as the Town Counsel shall consider sufficient, shall be delivered to the Town without expense.

Article 30. Voted: That the Board of Selectmen and Town Counsel be instructed to oppose any and all legislation which may be introduced before the General Court at this or any future session looking to the federation, consolidation, annexation or union in any form of Weymouth with any other municipality or municipalities or in any way diminishing the degree of municipal independence which Weymouth now enjoys.

Article 31. Mr. Heffernan of the Appropriation Committee moved: That no action be taken under this article.

Mr. Josiah B. Reed moved as a substitute motion: That the Town accept Chapter 419 of the Acts of 1930. (An act providing for the admission of the Town of Weymouth to the South Metropolitan Sewerage District.)

Mr. Prince H. Tirrell moved and it was so voted: That when the vote is taken it be by roll call of the ayes and noes.

Mr. Wallace H. Bicknell moved: That the matter before the meeting be held in abeyance until decided by a referendum vote at a regular Town election.

The question on the motion of Mr. Bicknell was put before the meeting and was declared not a vote.

After quite a long discussion on the question the roll call of the Town Meeting Members was read and each member present answered to their names. The Town Clerk announced that 122 Town Meeting Members voted to accept the Act and 24 Town Meeting Members voted not to accept the Act.

Article 32. Mr. Heffernan of the Appropriation Committee moved: That the Board of Selectmen be instructed to petition the General Court for legislation extending the time within which the Town may accept Chapter 419 of the Acts of 1930 as to said Board may seem expedient and providing for such other modifications in the terms of said Chapter 419 as to the Board of Selectmen may seem expedient.

Mr. Josiah B. Reed moved and it was so voted: That no action be taken under this article.

Article 33. Mr. Heffernan of the Appropriation Committee moved: That a committee of three, none of whom shall be a member of the Appropriation Committee, be appointed to confer with the Town Counsel in reference to the Pension and Retirement Bill prepared in accordance with the vote at the last Annual Town Meeting and either to present the same at the next Annual Town Meeting for adoption or present the same to the Legislature for enactment subject to acceptance by the Town Meeting.

Mr. Prince H. Tirrell moved as an amendment that the words "either" and "or present the same to the Legislature for enactment subject to acceptance at the Town Meeting" be stricken out:

The question on the amendment was put before the meeting and it was so voted.

Article 34. Mr. Heffernan of the Appropriation Committee moved: That no action be taken under this article. After some discussion on this article, the tellers proceeded to count, the tellers reported 69 voted in favor of no action and 51 voted to instruct the Selectmen to petition the General Court for legislation under this article, the Moderator declared the motion as carried.

Article 35. Mr. Heffernan of the Appropriation Committee moved: To amend Section 711 (of the by-laws) by inserting a comma in place of a period at the end of the first sentence thereof and adding after said comma the following words: "and shall not involve the renewal of more than 20% of the entire area of the roof;" and by adding at the end of said section the following new sentence: "Before renewing the covering of any roof or part thereof the old covering must be removed."

The question was put before the meeting and it was declared not a vote.

Mr. Heffernan moved to amend the by-laws by adding at the end of Section 720 the following sentence: "If any portion of any building used in whole or in part for human habitation, is used or adapted for garage or for the storage of any motor vehicle, the ceiling of the room or rooms so used shall be made of metal lath and three coats of cement plaster or of such other construction as would be permissible in a first class building as defined in Section 710."

This question was put before the meeting and it was so voted and adopted.

Mr. Heffernan moved to amend Section 721 (of the by-laws) by striking out in the second paragraph the words "for the housing of automobiles."

This question was put before the meeting and it was so voted and adopted.

Mr. Heffernan moved: Add at the end of Section 799 (of the by-laws) the following new sentence: "Until such time as the Town may adopt zoning laws the Board of Appeal shall adopt rules governing its procedure in cases before it, which rules shall provide for a notice to all persons whom it considers will be affected by its decision, for a public hearing if seasonably demanded by any party, and for the permanent preservation of its decisions in such form that can be examined by the public."

This question was put before the meeting and it was so voted and adopted.

Mr. Heffernan moved: To add a new section as follows:

Section 743. Before the installation or alteration of any electric wiring inside a building or structure as defined by these by-laws, a special permit must be secured from the Inspector of Buildings. "All such electric wiring shall be installed or altered under the supervision of the Inspector, and all installation and alterations shall be in accordance with the 1928 edition of the National Electric Code, issued by the National Board of Fire Underwriters, provided, however, that the Inspector of buildings may authorize a relaxation of any of the requirements of said code in any case where he considers the fire hazard is not appreciably increased thereby."

Mr. Herbert Rossetter moved as an amendment: That the subject matter of this section be laid on the table. The question was put before the meeting and was declared not a vote. More than seven members having doubted the vote a recount was ordered. Mr. Cate was temporarily absent and Mr. Newland H. Holmes was appointed in his stead and was duly sworn as such. The tellers reported 52 voting in favor of laying on the table and 42 voted in the negative. The motion to lay on the table prevailed.

Mr. Heffernan moved: To amend Section 798 by adding before the last sentence thereof the following: "For a permit to install or alter electric wiring in any building or structure (in addition to the fee for the building or alteration permit).....\$1.00, and by inserting in the last paragraph before the word "permit" the words "or electric wiring."

This question was put before the meeting and was declared not a vote.

Mr. Heffernan moved: To add a new section to the by-laws reading as follows:

Billboards

Section. 622. No billboards, except such as are exempt under Section 30 and 32 of Chapter 93 of the General Laws or may be exempt under any other Act hereafter passes exempting any billboards from the control of the Town, shall be erected or maintained in this Town except under and in accordance with the following provisions:

(A) The person erecting or maintaining shall file with the Town Clerk a copy of his license, if any, and permit from the Department of Public Works, to maintain said billboard and the name and address of a person or persons upon whom any notices or other papers relating to said billboard may be served:

(B) Before placing any advertising matter or other words or pictorial device upon said billboard he shall file with the Board of Selectmen a copy of the advertising matter, words or pictorial device or devices proposed to be placed upon said billboards and shall obtain the approval of the Board therefor, and before any change is made in said advertising matter, words or devices, like copies shall be filed and approval obtained.

(C) Whenever the Selectmen, after due notice and a hearing determine that the safety and convenience of travellers on any public or private way require that the distance of any billboard from the ground be increased or that the height or length of any such billboard be decreased, they shall issue an order requiring the person, firm or corporation maintaining said billboard to make said billboard comply with the requirements of said order, and unless said person, firm or corporation shall within thirty days from the service of a copy of said order upon the person named in clause (A) hereof, or within such further time as the Selectmen may allow, make the distance from the ground, height, or length of said billboard conform with the requirements of said order, the Selectmen may take proceedings under clause (D) hereof.

(D) Whenever it is brought to the attention of the Selectmen that any billboard in the Town violates any provision of these by-laws, of the statutes of the Commonwealth, or of the Rules and Regulations of the Department of Public Works, regarding billboards, that may cause an order to be served upon the person named in clause (A) hereof or upon the person, firm or corporation maintaining said billboard, requiring such person, firm or corporation forthwith either to make such billboard comply with the provisions of said statutes, rules and regulations and by-laws, or to remove the same, and unless the person, firm or corporation maintaining said billboard shall within ten days from the service of a copy of said order comply therewith, the Selectmen may take or direct the Town Counsel to take such legal proceedings under the laws of the Commonwealth, as in their judgment the nature of the case shall require. The foregoing section shall take effect so far as regards billboards thereafter erected upon the first day of the calendar month following its third publication as required by law, and as to all other billboards upon the first day of the third calendar month following such publication, on or before which date all persons, firms, or corpora-

tions maintaining billboards which are not exempt under Sections 30 and 32 of Chapter 93 of the General Laws shall file with the Town Clerk and Selectmen the papers required by clauses (A) and (B) thereof.

If any provision of the foregoing by-law shall be held void by any court or disapproval by the Attorney General, it shall not affect the validity of the remaining provisions thereof.

This question was put before the meeting and it was so voted and adopted.

Article 36. Voted: To amend the by-laws by the adoption of the following new section:

Section 408. For all original licenses under Section 14 of Chapter 148 of the General Laws and Acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto, the following fees shall be charged:

For a private garage for not more than two cars no part of which is let out for hire,	\$1.00
For all other licenses under said section	2.00

This question was put before the meeting and it was so voted and adopted.

(These amendments were approved by the Attorney General on May 18, 1931 and published in the Weymouth Gazette & Transcript on May 22-29 and June 5, 1931.)

Article 37. Voted: That the Committee on new Town Hall and War Memorial be authorized to place an electric Fixture on the second floor corridor of the Town Hall where an opening exists therefor, said fixture to be in keeping with the others in the building, and that all monies heretofore appropriated for any work under the direction of said committee and unexpended, including all monies, payment of which has been withheld on account of non-performance of breach of any contract or agreement, shall hereafter be accounted for and disbursed as one fund for the completion of any work under the committees charge.

Article 38. Voted: That no action be taken under this article.

Article 39. Mr. Heffernan of the Appropriation Committee: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$672.38 for the installation of a traffic light at Lincoln Square the same to be expended under the direction of the Police Department.

Mr. Alfred C. Sheehy moved indefinite postponement of the subject matter as to a light at Lincoln Square. So voted.

Mr. Arthur I. Negus moved: That a light be installed at Independence Square.

Mr. Josiah B. Reed moved as an amendment: That the sum of \$575.00 be raised and appropriated for the above purpose.

Mr. George E. Cunniff moved: That the subject matter of this item be referred to the Police Department. So voted.

Article 40. Mr. Heffernan of the Appropriation Committee moved: That the Park Commissioners be instructed to continue the suit brought by order of the Special Town Meeting held August 11, 1930, and numbered 23,249 on the current docket of the Superior Court of Norfolk County until the same is ripe for a final decree and that further action under this article be referred to the next Town Meeting.

Mr. Stuart H. Briggs moved as an amendment: To add the word "annual" before the last word.

Mr. William B. Dasha moved: That the subject matter of this article be indefinitely postponed and the committee discharged.

The question on the amendment to indefinitely postpone was put before the meeting and was declared not a vote.

More than seven members having doubted the vote a recount was ordered.

On a recount the tellers reported 41 voted in the affirmative and 74 voted in the negative, the motion to postpone was declared lost.

The question on the amendment of Mr. Briggs was put before the meeting and it was declared not a vote.

The question on the motion of the Appropriation Committee was then put before the meeting and it was declared a vote.

Article 41. Voted: That the subject matter of this article be referred back to the Committee on Municipal Golf Course for report at the next Town Meeting.

Article 42. Voted: That the subject matter of this article be referred to the Park Commissioners.

Article 43. Voted: That no action be taken under this article.

Article 44. Voted: That no action be taken under this article.

Article 45. Mr. Heffernan of the Appropriation Committee moved: That no action be taken under this article.

Mr. Stanley Heald moved as a substitute motion: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$600.00 for the purpose of providing quarters for Weymouth Post No. 79, American Legion for the year 1931, as provided by Section 9, Chapter 40 of the General Laws and amendments thereto.

The question on the amendment was put before the meeting and it was so voted, a unanimous vote.

Article 46. Voted unanimously: To accept from Wessagusset Post No. 1399, Veterans of Foreign Wars a framed copy of the Declaration of Independence and a mahogany framed copy of the Constitution of the United States to be hung in the Weymouth High School in such place that the Principal of the school may select, and that the thanks of the Town be extended to Wessagusset Post No. 1399, Veterans of Foreign Wars for their gift.

Article 47. Mr. Heffernan of the Appropriation Committee moved: That no action be taken under this article.

Mr. Joseph A. Fern moved as a substitute motion: That the sum of \$600.00 be raised and appropriated for the purpose of providing suitable headquarters for Wessagusset Post No. 1399, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, this in accordance with Section No. 9, Chapter No. 40 of the General Laws of the State of Massachusetts.

The question on the substitute motion of Mr. Fern was put before the meeting and it was so voted.

Article 48. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,000.00 for further construction work at Legion Memorial Field, the same to be expended under the direction of the Committee heretofore appointed.

Article 49. Voted: unanimously: That the Board of Selectmen be authorized to purchase or take by right of eminent domain, with or without the buildings thereon, a certain parcel of land situated on Church Street and bounded and described as follows: Beginning on Church Street, so called, at the Southerly corner of land of the North Parish in Weymouth, and running Northwesterly by land of said Parish to the Westerly corner thereof, thence running Northwesterly by land of Howard M. Dow to the location of the South Shore Railroad, thence running Westerly by the location of said railroad to land of the heirs of James Blanchard, thence running Southeasterly by land of heirs of said Blanchard to Church Street, and thence running Northeasterly by said Church Street to the point of beginning and containing three (3) acres more or less; being the same premises conveyed by Nelson A. Hallett, Jr. and Mary E. Hallett to William Whitman by deed dated September 27, 1907 and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 1064, Page 475; and that the sum of \$3,000.00 be raised and appropriated for said purpose; and that the further sum of \$1,500.00 be raised and appropriated for the purpose of obtaining plans and bids on a new School House to be located on said premises, said latter sum to be expended under the direction of a committee to be appointed by the Moderator consisting of the Superintendent of Schools, two members of the School Committee and four other persons.

The tellers reported 99 voting in the affirmative and none in the negative, a unanimous vote.

Article 50. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$15,000.00 for the construction of a lunch room on land in the rear of Weymouth High School, the same to be expended under the direction of the School Committee.

This question was put before the meeting and it was unanimously voted.

Article 51. Voted: That no action be taken under this article.

Article 52. Voted unanimously: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 for building new voting booths and other repairs on the wooden building on Broad Street formerly occupied as the Ward 2 Fire Engine House, the money to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen and the booths to be so constructed that they can be installed without alteration in the new Ward 2 Fire Engine House at the corner of Broad and Putnam Streets.

Article 53. Voted: That the Board of Selectmen be authorized to institute on behalf of the Town such proceedings before any Court or administrative board or official for the abatement of the nuisance caused by oil and grease in the waters and along the shores of Weymouth Fore River as to them shall seem expedient, and that the sum of \$2,000.00 be raised and appropriated for the expense of such proceedings to be expended under the direction of the Legal Department not exceeding \$300.00 of which may be spent for confidential investigation for which expenditures the certificate of the Town Counsel that the money has been expended for said purpose shall be a sufficient voucher.

Article 54. Voted: That no action be taken under this article.

Article 55. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,200.00 for the purchase of a new squad truck for the Fire Department, the same to be expended by the Chief of the Fire Department, with the approval of the Selectmen and that the Chief be also authorized to deliver the present squad truck as part payment thereon.

Voted: On motion of Mr. John F. Dwyer: That a rising vote of thanks be extended to the Members of the Appropriation Committee for the careful consideration of the articles in the warrant for the year 1931.

Voted: On motion of Mr. Charles S. Bicknell to adjourn without date, the time being 12:10 A. M.

153 Town Meeting Members names being checked by Police Officers stationed at the doors for that purpose.

CLAYTON B. MERCHANT, Town Clerk.

SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES AND APPROPRIATIONS

Annual Town Meeting March 2-4, 1931

Article 1	Raise & Appropriate	Appropriate
Item 1. Appropriation Committee		\$600.00
Item 2. Salaries & expenses, Selectmen's Department		9,563.90
Item 3. Salaries & expenses, Town Accountant's Department		6,000.00
Item 4. Salaries & expenses, Town Treasurer's Department		2,467.70
Item 5. Salaries & expenses, Tax Collector's Department		8,011.72
Item 6. Salaries & expenses, Assessor's Dep't.		10,470.00
Item 7. Salaries & expenses, Town Counsel's Department		6,150.00
Item 8. Salaries & expenses, Town Clerk's Department		4,060.00

Item 9. Salaries & expenses, Elections, Registrations, Registrars	1,954.00
Item 10. Expenses of Engineering Department, bound stones, etc.	5,825.00
Item 11. Expenses of Planning Board	500.00
Item 12. Maintenance of Town Hall, War Memorials, etc.	8,525.00
Item 13. Maintenance of Civil War Monument and King Phillip	200.00
Item 14. Salaries and expenses of Police Dep't.	72,510.00
Item 15. Salaries and expenses of Fire Dep't.	64,290.78
Item 16. Omitted
Item 17. Hydrant Service	16,500.00
Item 18. Salary and expenses of Building Inspector's Department	3,250.00
Item 19. Salary and expenses of Sealer of Weights and Measures	1,600.00
Item 20. Gypsy and other Insect Pests	8,320.00
Item 21. Shade Trees	2,200.00
Item 22. Street Lighting	37,989.00
Item 23. Harbor Master	275.00
Item 24. Salaries and expenses of the Board of Health	10,800.00
Item 25. Employment of Nurses	2,000.00
Item 26. Maintenance of Norfolk County Hospital	10,810.95
Item 27. Omitted
Item 28. Collection of Garbage	11,000.00
Item 29. Charities	79,870.00
Addition for providing work	25,000.00 104,870.00
Item 30. State and Military Aid, soldiers relief and burials	17,000.00
Item 31. Old Age Assistance	1,000.00
Item 32. Pensions	912.50
Item 33. Highway Department	
General work	101,950.00
Purchase of 2½ ton truck and 8 ton gas roller	8,550.00
Removal of snow	10,000.00
Permanent construction of streets	25,000.00
Permanent construction of sidewalks	21,250.00 166,750.00

Item 34. Support of Schools	430,700.00	
Item 35. Support of Tufts Library and branches	21,505.00	
Fogg Library Reading Room	1,500.00	
Item 36. Memorial Day	900.00	
Item 37. Omitted	
Item 38. Parks and Playgrounds	10,715.00	
Item 39. Miscellaneous Expenses	2,185.00	
Item 40. Unpaid Bills	3,116.34	
Item 41. Overdrafts	3,651.45	
Item 42. A None	
B Minor Construction		\$16,000.00
C Maintenance and Operation		30,000.00
D Replacements		10,000.00
E Equipment		4,000.00
F Commercial Expenses		8,500.00
G Salaries		2,075.00
H Interest		5,622.50
I Debt Retirement		17,467.00
J Omitted	
Item 43. Alewife Fishery	500.00	
Item 44. Care of Soldiers graves (Sec. 22, Chap. 115, Gen. Laws)	1,000.00	
Item 45. Care of old Cemeteries (Sec. 16-18, Chap. 114, Gen. Laws)	1,500.00	
Item 46. Continuation of Survey of Cemeteries	500.00	
Item 47. Interest and Discount	62,000.00	
Item 48. Retirement of Bonds and Notes	81,858.00	
Item 49. Municipal Insurance Fund	5,000.00	
Item 50. Overdue Fire Insurance	1,800.00	
Item 51. Reserve Fund	25,000.00	
Art. 5. From Surplus for use of the Assessors, determining tax rate		75,000.00
Art. 8. Discharging incumbrances on property		1.00
Art. 10. Construction of water mains, 6 or more inches		7,500.00
Art. 11. Work for private parties, Water Dep't.		20,000.00
Art. 12. Purchase of land around Great Pond		16,000.00
Art. 17. Working and Easements of Streets		
Puritan Road	\$2,930.00	
Sycamore Road	1,875.00	

White Park	1,500.00	
Pierce Road	1,500.00	
Mt. Vernon East	1.00	
Mt. Vernon West	1,950.00	
Mt. Ida Road	1.00..	
Glendale Road	2,000.00	
Woronoco Road	1,500.00..	
Lakehurst Avenue	1.00	
Drew Avenue	1,000.00	14,258.00
Art. 18. Relocation of Street Corners		
Neck and North	\$360.00	
Lake and Charles	35.00	
Bayview and Babcock Ave.	25.00	
Bartlett and Babcock Ave.	25.00	
Broad and Spring	325.00	
Iron Hill (between W. W. P. Co. & Connell)	50.00	
Torrey and Park Ave	50.00	870.00
Art. 21. Work for private parties. Street Dep't.	1,000.00	
Art. 22. Regrading and Curbing grass plot be- tween Main-Front Streets		820.00
Art. 28. Construction of Sea Wall, Fore River Avenue		8,500.00
Art. 29. Construction of Putnam Street, west side, junction Lafayette Avenue		250.00
Art. 45. Providing Quarters Weymouth Post No. 79, American Legion		600.00
Art. 47. Providing Quarters Wessagusset Post No. 1399, Veterans Foreign Wars		600.00
Art. 48. Further work on Legion Memorial Field	4,000.00	
Art. 49. Taking land, Church Street Whitman Lot, School Purposes		3,000.00
Plans and bids for School Building on above		1,500.00
Art. 50. Construction of Lunch Room, rear of High School		15,000.00
Art. 52. New Voting Booths, repairing building, old Engine House		100.00
Art. 53. Court Proceedings, abatement oil nui- sance Weymouth Fore River		2,000.00
Art. 55. New Squad Truck for Fire Dep't.	5,200.00	
Totals	\$1,307,534.34	\$212,165.50
CLAYTON B. MERCHANT, Town Clerk		

RESULT OF TOWN ELECTION

March 9, 1931

Town Clerk, 3 years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
Clayton B. Merchant, 27 Academy Ave.	579	485	636	250	737	497	235	205	3624*
Edmond F. Tobin, 19 off Lake Street		1							1
Blanks	239	286	403	94	380	391	98	69	1960
Total	818	772	1039	344	1117	888	333	274	5585
Town Treasurer									
Edwin R. Sampson 19 Lincoln St.	634	513	643	254	760	491	238	215	3748*
Thomas F. McCue 24 Beals St.	2								2
Blanks	182	259	396	90	357	397	95	59	1835
Total	818	772	1039	344	1117	888	333	274	5585
Selectmen									
Charles H. Chubbuck 36 Charles St.	234	295	382	118	423	237	153	142	1984*
Ralph T. Cipullo 47 Academy Ave.	96	152	83	16	54	235	26	36	698
Herman O. Collyer 16 Sea St.	406	120	210	121	222	144	100	77	1400
William A. Connell 37 Highland Pl.	299	381	596	262	544	509	181	146	2918*
John J. Daley off Ralph Talbot St.	24	33	57	15	104	29	26	18	306
William A. Hannaford 210 Lake St.	260	448	330	219	536	562	204	128	2687*
DeForest H. Jones 207 Evans St.	267	131	83	21	63	112	31	102	910
Arthur L. McGrory 15 Central Ave.	89	176	150	107	287	251	106	36	1202
Robert Mitchell 39 Shawmut St.	122	310	267	28	73	344	46	54	1244
Charles S. Palmer 16 Congress St.	98	83	427	68	91	70	44	65	946

H. Franklin Perry 104 Front St.	241	308	672	159	447	332	138	100	2397*
Herbert Rossetter 25 Standish St.	110	22	19	11	15	24	9	14	224
Charles E. Stiles 30 Pierce Rd.	237	190	172	58	225	140	52	98	1172
Fred E. Waite 2 Oakcrest Rd.	243	249	341	175	846	261	162	92	2369*
Anthony Veader 130 Birchbrow Ave	1								1
Patrick F. Manning 36 Babcock Ave.	1								1
Blanks	1262	962	1406	342	1655	1190	387	262	7466
Total	4090	3860	5195	1720	5585	4440	1665	1370	27925
2 Assessors, 3 years									
Charles W. Burgess 32 Pearl St.	579	433	566	215	673	419	205	200	3290*
John F. Dwyer 324 Washington St.	559	486	776	247	692	527	213	185	3685*
Blanks	498	625	736	226	869	830	248	163	4195
Total	1636	1544	2078	688	2234	1776	666	548	11170
2 School Committee, 3 years									
John P. Hunt 99 Front St.	545	453	652	224	695	427	195	205	3396*
J. Herbert Libby 707 Broad St.	565	469	584	211	673	493	201	206	3400*
John H. Moran 306 Middle St.						2			2
Blanks	526	622	842	253	866	854	270	137	4370
Total	1636	1544	2078	688	2234	1776	666	548	11170
3 Trustees of Tufts Library, 3 years									
Joseph Kelley 342 Washington St.	482	394	645	196	573	429	172	179	2070*
Franklin N. Pratt 1396 Pleasant St.	462	376	519	183	595	364	176	190	2865*
Clarence P. Whittle 115 Front St.	453	354	544	179	570	340	173	182	2795*
William Hyde 532 Commercial St.								1	1
Blanks	1057	1192	1409	474	1613	1531	478	270	8024
Total	2454	2316	3117	1032	3351	2664	999	822	16755

1 Water Commissioner, 3 years

George W. Perry

48 Hillcrest Rd.	522	438	563	204	670	480	218	189	3284*
Blanks	296	334	476	140	447	408	115	85	2301
Total	818	772	1039	344	1117	888	333	274	5585

Tax Collector

Frank W. Holbrook

181 Pleasant St.	550	463	608	264	788	452	245	203	3573*
Blanks	268	309	431	80	329	436	88	71	2012
Total	818	772	1039	344	1117	888	333	274	5585

I Park Commissioner, 3 years

Francis W. Rea

706 Pleasant St.	489	377	524	193	622	382	216	183	2986*
Blanks	329	395	515	151	395	506	117	91	2599
Total	818	772	1039	344	1117	888	333	274	5585

I Member Board of Health

Thomas J. McDonald

124 Lake St.	508	412	548	195	625	463	185	179	3115*
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George E. Emerson

52 Columbian St.		1							1
Blanks	310	359	491	149	492	425	148	95	2469
Total	818	772	1039	344	1117	888	333	274	5585

2 Members of Planning Board, 3 years

Arthur I. Negus

81 Thicket St.	471	365	521	186	678	371	185	180	2957*
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Frank A. Pray

97 Broad St.	490	345	545	191	623	353	174	184	2908*
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James B. Jones

693 Commercial St.								1	1
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Russell H. Whiting

56 Sea St.	1								1
Blanks	674	834	1012	311	933	1052	304	183	5303
Total	1636	1544	2078	688	2234	1776	666	548	11170

Tree Warden

Charles L. Merritt									
44 Highland Pl.	523	408	565	254	717	398	215	182	3262*
Blanks	295	364	474	90	400	490	118	92	2323
Total	818	772	1039	344	1117	888	333	274	5585

Annual Moderator

George L. Barnes									
544 Main St.	524	426	581	247	745	450	227	189	3389*
Blanks	294	346	458	97	372	438	106	85	2196
Total	818	772	1039	344	1117	888	333	274	5585

13 Town Meeting Members, 3 years, Precinct 1

John L. Basty, 75 Sea Street	510*
Charles W. Burgess, 32 Pearl Street	491*
William H. Cherington, 12 Lindale Avenue	412*
Oberlin S. Clark, 50 Leonard Road	446*
Fred H. Clifford 47 Rosalind Road	420*
Frank D. Everton, 44 Hobomac Road	394*
William G. Lyons, 61 Weybossett Street	426*
E. Leo Madden, 9 Aspinwall Avenue	467*
Edward P. McNamara, 217 Neck Street	411*
A. Wesley Sampson, 22 Shaw Street	517*
Charles A. Tobin, 77 Lovell Street	464*
Elliot C. Sabens, 5 Saunders Street	62*
Thomas F. McCue, 24 Beals Street	7
Donald D. Hunt, 26 Lockmere Avenue	20
George A. Roulston, 44 Wachusett Road	1
Harold W. White, 45 Weybossett Street	28*
Patrick F. Manning, 36 Babcock Avenue	25
Sidney G. Dunbar, 280 North Street	18
Herbert Rossetter, 25 Standish Street	2
Henry Miller	1
Charles Griffin, 21 Fore River Avenue	10
George W. Hunt, 53 Standish Street	3
J. Herbert Libbey, 283 North Street	5
Archibald J. McLellan, 57 Evans Street	1
John Taylor, 12 Shaw Street	3
William C. Lyons, 61 Weybossett Street	1
Joseph J. Rudolph, 256 Bridge Street	2
Ray E. Loud, 23 Johnson Road	2
Herman O. Collyer, 16 Sea Street	1
John M. Lyons, 61 Weybossett Street	4
Blanks	5480
Total	10634

11 Town Meeting Members, 3 years, Precinct 2

George L. Bates, 6 Lafayette Avenue	336*
Melzar S. Burrell, 1253 Commercial Street	335*
Henry C. Cottell, 588 Broad Street	291*
George F. Farrar, 53 Laurel Street	318*
Everett T. Gardner, 16 Cain Avenue	294*
Olindo Garofalo, 40 Madison Street	213
Harold F. Loud, 40 Addington Circle	365*
John P. Lovell, 41 Station Street	318*
David F. McMorrow, 11 Laurel Street	355*
Walter E. Moore, 21 Clinton Road	249
James I. Peers, 520 East Street	279*
Arthur H. Pratt, 582 East Street	320*
Ernest A. Smith, 1141 Commercial Street	215
Marshall P. Spear, 910 Broad Street	304*
Blanks	4300
Total	8492

1 Town Meeting Member, 2 years, to fill vacancy

Louis V. Daniele, 31 Broad Street Place	368*
Blanks	404
Total	772

2 Town Meeting Members, 1 year, to fill vacancy

Joseph J. Conroy, 57 Centre Street	443*
Richard H. Roche, 1640 Commercial Street	350*
Blanks	751
Total	1544

15 Town Meeting Members, 3 years, Precinct 3

Charles W. Baker, 139 Washington Street	534*
Wallace H. Bicknell, 262 Front Street	508*
Harry L. Bloom, 167 Broad Street	493*
Henry A. Cote, 158 Broad Street	588*
Frederick J. Coyle, 82 Richmond Street	516*
Arthur J. Hassett, 26 Pierce Road	381*
Albert L. Jewell, 156 Pierce Road	409*
Burton F. Johnson, 16 Phillips Street	454*
John J. Norton, 185 Commercial Street	486*
George S. Peterson, 44 Summer Street	363*
William E. Pray, 93 Front Street	588*
William W. Wakeman, 33 Roosevelt Road	398*

Wallace L. Whittle, 112 Front Street	486*
Raymond O. Hollis, 73 Webb Street	31*
Christopher P. Wade, 47 King Avenue	16
James J. McCarthy, 247 Washington Street	10
Clarence M. Price, 69 Webb Street	132*
Charles Rogers	4
James A. Pray, 232 Washington Street	1
Charles F. Gough, off 115 Prospect Street	1
Joseph Browne, 225 Summer Street	5
Paul J. Worster, 62 Vine Street	1
Arthur R. Lohnes, 69 Vine Street	1
Joseph Crehan, 20 King Avenue	1
Patrick F. Quinn, 22 Broad Street	1
Roy C. Lucas, 98 Front Street	1
William E. Slattery, 102 Phillips Street	1
Charles F. Crehan, 20 King Avenue	1
Paul F. Slattery, 43 Granite Street	1
Walter D. Desmond, 84 Webb Street	1
Morris Bloom, 132 Webb Street	1
Blanks	9171
Total	<hr/> 15585

6 Town Meeting Members, 3 years, Precinct 4

Josiah F. Martin, 96 Park Avenue	188*
Ignatius Melville, 10 Highland Place	200*
Blanche L. Price, 779 Front Street	167*
J. Frederick Price, 779 Front Street	182*
John F. Sullivan, 599 Main Street	12*
Charles H. DeRusha, 1126 Middle Street	16*
Alfred K. Martin, 96 Park Avenue	7
Wilton A. Loud, 15 Mill Street	1
Joseph L. Smith, 760 Washington Street	2
Arthur B. Tirrell, 25 Park Avenue	1
A. Parker Bates, 891 Front Street	1
Joseph D. McCarthy, 65 Park Avenue	4
Joseph D. Sewall, 411 Main Street	1
Blanks	1282
Total	<hr/> 2064

I Town Meeting Member, 1 year, to fill vacancy, Precinct 4

John F. Kennedy, 30 Park Avenue	11*
John F. Robinson, 726 Main Street	1
Blanks	322
Total	<hr/> 344

17 Town Meeting Members, 3 years, Precinct 5

Walter L. Bates, 67 Union Street	571*
Mary Wilbar Bauer, 236 Pleasant Street	470*
Thomas W. Blackwell, 18 Whitcomb Terrace	424*
John A. Connor, 16 White Park	358*
David N. Crawford, 25 Tower Avenue	573*
Simon R. Gallant, 100 Union Street	395*
Arthur W. Harkinson, 1015 Main Street	443*
Guy W. C. Hartt, 308 Pond Street	521*
Frank W. Holbrook, 55 Torrey Street	600*
Bowden A. Holmes, 23 Great Pond Road	350*
Ritchie T. Howe, 48 Tower Avenue	499*
Wallace W. Lyon, 1012 Main Street	325
Lida M. MacFeaters, off Forest Street	257
William F. Meara, 15 White Park	231
Fred H. Oliver, 143 Columbian Street	430*
Thomas A. Pickett, 47 Lakewood Road	365*
Roy H. Rosewell, 31 Elinor Road	379*
Daniel B. Santry, 202 Pond Street	513*
William K. Savary, 254 Forest Street	196
Joe Taylor, 929 Main Street	451*
Prince H. Tirrell, 167 Pleasant Street	578*
Edward B. Wood, 22 Oakdale Road	307
Blanks	9753
Total	18989

12 Town Meeting Members, 3 years, Precinct 6

Edward F. Butler, 1127 Pleasant Street	550*
Fred W. Corcoran, 17 Water Street	247
Joseph O. Gunville, 1258 Pleasant Street	401*
James H. Hanley, 80 Raymond Street	428*
William A. Hodges, 30 Hillcrest Road	352*
Albert Humphrey, 111 Hawthorne Street	364*
David F. Kearns, 94 Hawthorne Street	411*
John W. Kennedy, 25 Randall Avenue	314*
Andrew T. Moore, 10 Randall Avenue	262
John G. Nelson, 34 Canterbury Street	200
Benjamin Santacroce, 25 Shawmut Street	341*
Pasquale Santacroce, 20 off Lake Street	318*
Alfred C. Sheehy, 401 Broad Street	385*
Thomas J. Terry, 269 Middle Street	386*
Richard J. White, 100 Cedar Street	282*
E. Ellsworth Merchant, 6 Water Street	1
William C. Peterson, 1104 Pleasant Street	1
Blanks	5413
Total	10656

6 Town Meeting Members, 3 years, Precinct 7

William B. Chalke, Jr., 1161 Washington Street	226*
Ellsworth W. Curtis, 431 Pine Street	205*
Raymond D'Ambrosia, 951 Pleasant Street	113
Matthias E. Doyle, 845 Pleasant Street	187*
James C. Haynes, 47 Oak Street	124
Ronald A. McDonald, 99 Oak Street	132*
George H. McKinley, 39 Lakehurst Avenue	130*
John W. Thorp, 866 Washington Street	157*
Blanks	724
Total	1998

4 Town Meeting Members, 3 years, Precinct 8

Prescott B. Brown, 24 Richards Road	193*
Edwin R. Farren, 23 Farren Road	165*
Harry E. Johnson, 192 East Street	170*
Frederick E. Lunt, 52 Church Street	187*
Ernest C. Morse, 59 Pleasantview Avenue	123
Harrison S. Brown, 656 Commercial Street	2
Blanks	256
Total	1096

*Elected.

CLAYTON B. MERCHANT, Town Clerk.

TOWN HALL**East Weymouth, March 9, 1931**

A meeting of the Board of Registrars of the Town of Weymouth, was held this date for the purpose of certifying to the election of the several Town Officers and Town Meeting Members, all members of the Board present.

On the completion of the tabulation from the several Precincts the Chairman of the Board of Registrars, Edward P. Murphy, declared the following having received the largest number of votes were elected.

Town Clerk for 3 years—Clayton B. Merchant

Town Treasurer—Edwin R. Sampson

Selectmen—William A. Connell, William A. Hannaford, H. Franklin Perry, Fred E. Waite and Charles H. Chubbuck.

Assessors for 3 years—Charles W. Burgess, John F. Dwyer

School Committee for 3 years—John P. Hunt, J. Herbert Libby

Trustees of Tufts Library—Joseph Kelley, Franklin Pratt, Clarence P. Whittle

Water Commissioner for 3 years—George W. Perry

Tax Collector—Frank W. Holbrook

Park Commissioner—Francis W. Rea

Board of Health for 3 years—Thomas J. MacDonald

Planning Board—Arthur I. Negus, Frank A. Pray

Tree Warden—Charles L. Merritt

Annual Moderator—George L. Barnes

Town Meeting Members, 3 years, Precinct 1—John L. Basty, Charles W. Burgess, William H. Cherrington, Oberlin S. Clark, Fred H. Clifford, Frank D. Everton, William G. Lyons, E. Leo Madden, Edward P. McNamara, A. Wesley Sampson, Charles A. Tobin, Elliot C. Sabens and Harold W. White

Town Meeting Members, 3 years, Precinct 2—George L. Bates, Melzar S. Burrell, Henry C. Cottell, George F. Farrar, Everett T. Gardner, Harold F. Loud, John P. Lovell, David F. McMorrow, James I. Peers, Arthur H. Pratt and Marshall F. Spear

Town Meeting Member, 2 years, to fill vacancy—Louis V. Daniele

Town Meeting Members, 1 year, to fill vacancy—Joseph J. Conroy and Richard H. Roche

Town Meeting Members, 3 years, Precinct 3—Charles W. Baker, Wallace H. Bicknell, Henry L. Bloom, Henry A. Cote, Frederick J. Coyle, Arthur J. Hassett, Albert L. Jewell, Burton F. Johnson, John J. Norton, George S. Peterson, William E. Pray, William W. Wakeman, Wallace L. Whittle, Raymond O. Hollis and Clarence M. Price

Town Meeting Members, 3 years, Precinct 4—Josiah F. Martin, Ignatius Melville, Blanche L. Price, J. Frederick Price, John F. Sullivan and Charles H. DeRusha

Town Meeting Member, 1 year, Precinct 4—John F. Kennedy

Town Meeting Members, 3 years, Precinct 5—Walter L. Bates, Mary W. Bauer, Thomas W. Blackwell, John A. Connor, David N. Crawford, Simon R. Gallant, Arthur W. Harkinson, Guy W. C. Hartt, Frank W. Holbrook, Bowden A. Holmes, Ritchie T. Howe, Fred H. Oliver, Thomas A. Pickett, Roy H. Rosewell, Daniel B. Santry, Joe Taylor and Prince H. Tirrell

Town Meeting Members, 3 years, Precinct 6—Edward F. Butler, Joseph O. Gunville, James H. Hanley, William A. Hodges, Albert Humphrey, David F. Kearns, John W. Kennedy, Benjamin Santacroce, Pasquale Santacroce, Alfred C. Sheehy, Thomas J. Terry and Richard J. White

Town Meeting Members, 3 years, Precinct 7—William B. Chalke, Jr., Ellsworth W. Curtis, Matthias E. Doyle, Ronald A. MacDonald, George W. McKinley and John W. Thorp

Town Meeting Members; 3 years, Precinct 8—Prescott B. Brown, Edwin R. Farren, Harry E. Johnson and Frederick E. Lunt

CLAYTON B. MERCHANT, Clerk of Registrars.

WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

To the Constables of the Town of Weymouth in said County,
GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of Weymouth, qualified to vote upon questions submitted to the voters at large, to meet at the polling places of their respective precincts to wit: in Precincts 1, 3 and 5 in the Fire Engine Houses located in those Precincts respectively, in Precinct 2 at G. A. R. Hall on Commercial Street; in Precinct 4 at the building of the Citizens' Association, Inc. on Front Street; in Precinct 6 at the old Ward 2 Fire Engine House on the southerly side of Broad Street; in Precinct 7 at the Lovell's Corner Improvement Association Building on Washington Street; in Precinct 8 at the Weymouth Heights Club Building on North Street; on Monday, the thirteenth day of April, 1931 at two o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to bring in to the Wardens of their several Precincts their votes upon the following question; which is submitted to the voters at large under the provisions of Section 8 of Chapter 61 of the Acts of 1921:

"Shall the Town accept Chapter 419 of the Acts of 1930?"

The polls will be closed at eight o'clock in the evening.

You are directed to serve this warrant by posting a copy thereof, attested by you in writing, in each of two public places in each voting Precinct in said Town, seven days at least before the time for holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk of said Town on or before the eighth day of April, 1931.

Given under our hands at Weymouth this thirtieth day of March, in the year of our Lord, One Thousand, Nine Hundred and Thirty-one.

WILLIAM A. CONNELL
 FRED E. WAITE
 H. FRANKLIN PERRY
 WILLIAM A. HANNAFORD
 CHARLES H. CHUBBUCK
 Selectmen of Weymouth.

A true copy. Attest:

EDWARD F. BUTLER
 Constable of Weymouth.

RETURN OF SERVICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Weymouth, April 6, 1931

Norfolk, ss.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting a true copy thereof attested by me in writing in each of two places in each voting precinct in said Town of Weymouth seven days before the time of holding said meeting.

Edward F. Butler

Constable of Weymouth.

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

April 13, 1931

"Shall the Town accept Chapter 419 of the Acts of 1931?"

Yes	138	88	97	23	290	63	21	61	781
No	175	230	400	209	381	230	164	63	1852
Blanks					1				1
Total	313	318	497	232	672	293	185	124	2634

CLAYTON B. MERCHANT, Town Clerk.

WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

To the Constables of the Town of Weymouth in said County,
GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of Weymouth aforesaid qualified to vote in Town affairs to meet in the hall of the Weymouth High School on Monday, the Thirteenth day of July, 1931, at seven o'clock and forty-five minutes in the evening, then and there to act upon the following articles, namely:

Article 1. To see what additional sums of money the Town will vote to raise or borrow and appropriate for the expenses and operation during the remainder of the current fiscal year of each of the following Town Departments and activities, to wit:

1. Soldiers' Relief.
2. Charities, including the employment in accordance with the provisions of Section 2 of Chapter 117 of the General Laws of persons who are or are likely to become public charges, and for the conduct of the necessary work upon which such persons may be employed.
3. Street Department.
4. Unpaid Bills.

and to determine in each case how and under whose direction the money shall be expended, to impose any conditions and restrictions upon the expenditure of any appropriation for any Town Departments now or heretofore made that the Town may think proper, to determine how much of the money so appropriated shall be available for expenditures under Clause (34) of Section 5 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws as amended by Chapter 36 of the Acts of 1928; to fix the terms and conditions of any loan or loans authorized to procure any of such funds and to authorize the issue of bonds or notes for the same, and fix the term and rate of interest of any such bonds or notes, or take any other action in reference to any of the foregoing subjects.

Article 2. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for providing an emergency water supply in North Weymouth and the erection of a standpipe; to see whether the Town will authorize the Board of Water Commissioners to acquire by gift, purchase, or take by right of eminent domain, the necessary land and easements therefor; to determine what manner the money so appropriated shall be raised, whether by loan or otherwise, and to fix the terms and conditions of any loan or loans authorized to procure any of said money, and to authorize the issue of bonds or notes for the same and to fix the term and rate of interest of such bonds or notes.

You are directed to serve this warrant by posting a copy thereof, attested by you in writing, in each of two public places in each voting precinct in said Town, seven days at least before the time for holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, make due return of this warrant with your doings to the Town Clerk of said Town on or before the tenth day of July, 1931.

Given under our hands at Weymouth this twenty-ninth day of June in the year of our Lord, One Thousand, Nine Hundred and Thirty-one.

WILLIAM A. CONNELL
FRED. E. WAITE
H. FRANKLIN PERRY
WILLIAM A. HANNAFORD
CHARLES H. CHUBBUCK

Selectmen of Weymouth.

A true copy, Attest:

JOSEPH D. SEWALL

Constable of Weymouth.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Weymouth, July 7, 1931

Norfolk, ss.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting a true copy thereof attested by me in writing in each of two public places in each voting precinct in said Town of Weymouth seven days before the time of holding said meeting.

Joseph D. Sewall

Constable of Weymouth.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

July 13, 1931

Pursuant to the within warrant the Special Town Meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Weymouth, represented by its duly elected and qualified Town Meeting Members, was held at the hall of the Weymouth High School, East Weymouth, on Monday evening, July 13, 1931. 184 Town Meeting Members being present out of 278 eligible.

The meeting was called to order at 7:50 o'clock by George L. Barnes, Annual Moderator, who requested the Town Clerk to read the warrant for the meeting. After reading the call for the meeting, it was voted on motion of Newland H. Holmes that the further reading of the articles in the warrant be omitted as each Town Meeting Member had a copy of the warrant. The Town Clerk then read the last three paragraphs of the warrant and the attestation of the constable who served the warrant.

The Moderator then invited Rev. Fr. Michael J. Derby, pastor of the Immaculate Conception Church, East Weymouth, to the platform and he then invoked the Divine Blessing of the Ruler of the Universe upon the deliberations of this meeting.

The following were sworn as Town Meeting Members: William H. Cherrington, Oberlin S. Clark, Fred H. Clifford, William G. Lyons, E. Leo Madden, Edward P. McNamara, Elliot C. Sabens, A. Wesley Sampson, Harold W. White—Precinct 1.

George L. Bates, Henry C. Cottell, Everett T. Gardner, Harold F. Loud, David F. McMorro, James I. Peers, Howard M. Dowd, Marshall F. Spear—Precinct 2.

Charles W. Baker, Wallace H. Bicknell, Harry L. Bloom, Raymond C. Hollis, Albert L. Jewell, John J. Norton, Clarence M. Price, William W. Wakeman, Arthur R. Lohnes—Precinct 3.

Josiah F. Martin, Blanche L. Price, J. Frederick Price, John F. Sullivan, John W. Heffernan—Precinct 4.

Walter L. Bates, Mary W. Bauer, Thomas W. Blackwell, John A. Connor, David N. Crawford, Simon R. Gallant, Guy W. C. Hartt, Frank W. Holbrook, Ritchie T. Howe, Roy H. Rosewell, Frederick G. Bauer—Precinct 5.

Edward F. Butler, Joseph O. Gunville, James H. Hanley, Albert Humphrey, David F. Kearns, Richard J. White—Precinct 6.

William B. Chalke, Jr., Ellsworth W. Curtis, Matthias E. Doyle, John W. Thorp—Precinct 7.

Edwin R. Farren, Harry E. Johnson, Frederick E. Lunt—Precinct 8.

Before proceeding to the business of the evening Mr. Basil S. Warren offered the following resolution, and it was unanimously endorsed:

Weymouth, Massachusetts

July 6, 1931

WHEREAS, the Navy Department of the United States, by virtue of the authorization of Congress, is about to start the construction of several new destroyers, and WHEREAS it has become the policy of the Navy Department to name this type of vessel after outstanding heroes of the Navy who have from time to time distinguished themselves and uplifted the good name of the service by performing acts of bravery and hazard beyond the call of duty, and WHEREAS, Lieut. Ralph Talbot, deceased, United States Marine Corps, Medal of Honor, so distinguished himself and so bravely upheld the glorious traditions of the United States Navy, that his services was recognized by the Congress of the United States, one of the four citizens of Massachusetts to be so honored in the World War, and the sole citizen of Massachusetts to be so honored for service in the Marine Corps, acting under the direction of the Navy Department,

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved, That Weymouth Post No. 79, Department of Massachusetts, American Legion, in regular meeting assembled, this sixth day of July, 1931, petitions the Honorable Secretary of the Navy to give consideration to the name of Ralph Talbot.

And be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Secretary of the Navy at Washington, to the Senators from Massachusetts and to the Congressman from the Fourteenth Massachusetts district, urging their support and assistance in carrying out the intention of this resolution.

KARL L. O'NEIL, Adjutant.

Article 1. Voted: To provide for salaries, operations and expenses during the remainder of the current fiscal year of the following Town Departments and Activities, for certain improvements and to meet certain requirements of law, the several sums hereinafter set forth are hereby appropriated for the several purposes and subject to the conditions and limitations hereinafter set forth, all such sums to be raised by taxation in the levy of the current year, and to be in addition to such sums as have heretofore been appropriated for said purposes, to wit:

Item 1.	For Soldiers' Relief.	\$6,000.00
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Item 2.	John W. Heffernan of the Appropriation Committee moved as follows: For Charities, \$60,000.00 of which sum \$8,000.00 shall be used for providing employment in accordance with the provisions of Section 2, Chapter 117 of the General Laws for persons in need of assistance who are in danger of becoming chargeable to the Town of Weymouth for support, such money to be expended in accordance with the restrictions and limitations set forth in the vote passed under Item 29 of Article 1 of the
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warrant for the Annual Town Meeting in March, 1931, except that not more than \$1,000.00 in addition to sums already spent for work on Lakehurst Avenue, and that except for superintendence and the operation of motor vehicles and road machinery no person shall be employed or continued in employment under said appropriation unless and until the Welfare Worker employed by the Department of Public Welfare shall after investigation determine that said person is a proper subject of public charity.

Mr. Francis A. Gunn moved as an amendment: That the sum of \$8,000.00 in the first paragraph be increased to \$15,000.00 for drainage in Columbian Square and contiguous areas.

This amendment was put before the meeting and was declared not a vote.

The motion of the Appropriation Committee as offered by Mr. Heffernan was then put before the meeting and it was so voted.

- Item 3. For the Street Department, \$10,360.00 of which sum \$2,000.00 shall be for repairs and improvements and enlargement of the Town Barn on Commercial Street. \$360.00 for curbing of the grass plot between Main and Front Streets near their southerly junction and \$8,000.00 for the general use of the Department.

- Item 4. For unpaid bills of previous years as follows:

Health Department	\$70.00
Street Department	6.00
R.R. Ryan, M. D., Town Physician	50.00
Being \$126.00 in the aggregate.	

The expenditure of all which sums shall be subject to the limitations and restrictions applicable to the appropriations made for like purposes under the vote passed under Article 1 of the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting in March, 1931.

Article 2. Voted unanimously: That the Board of Water Commissioners be and are hereby authorized to acquire by gift or take by right of eminent domain a suitable site in North Weymouth for the erection of a reservoir or standpipe and the necessary easements in connection therewith and that the sum of \$45,000.00 be appropriated for the acquisition of said land and easements and the erection under the direction of the Board of Water Commissioners of such standpipe or reservoir, of which sum \$12,000.00 shall be raised in the levy of the current year, and to meet the balance of said appropriation the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow a sum not to exceed \$33,000.00 and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor, said bonds or notes to be payable in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws in one year from that date.

The Moderator appointed Daniel L. O'Donnell, A. Wesley Sampson and E. Leo Madden as tellers, they were sworn to the faithful performance of that duty.

The tellers reported 142 voting in the affirmative and none in the negative.

Voted on motion of Mr. John W. Heffernan at 8:55 to adjourn without date.

CLAYTON B. MERCHANT, Town Clerk.

SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES

Special Town Meeting

July 13, 1931

Article 1.

	Raise & Appropriate	Appropriate
Item 1. For Soldiers' Relief	\$6,000.00	
Item 2. For Charities	60,000.00	
Item 3. For Street Department	10,360.00	
Item 4. For Unpaid Bills	126.00	

Article 2.

Reservoir or standpipe, No. Weymouth	12,000.00	\$33,000.00
	<u>86,000.00</u>	<u>\$33,000.00</u>

CLAYTON B. MERCHANT, Town Clerk.

VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES

DEATHS, ETC.

1931



VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS RECORDED IN THE TOWN OF WEYMOUTH FOR THE YEAR 1931			
Date	Name	Place of Birth	Parents
Jan. 1	Robert Raymond McLaughlin	Weymouth	Raymond V. & Helen A. (Deneay) McLaughlin
3	Charles Francis Holbrook	Braintree	Charles W. L. & Harriett M. (Levangie) Holbrook
4	Betty Ann Magoun	Weymouth	Elliot F. & Isabelle (Paulding) Magoun
4	Jeanne Eleanor Noonan	Weymouth	Edward P. & Susie L. (Daly) Noonan
6	Richard Kenneth Leary	Weymouth	Michael & Mary C. (Connolly) Leary
6	Claire Marie Draper	Weymouth	George E. & Margaret C. (Willis) Draper
8	Rodney Robert Steel	Weymouth	James F. & Marion (Baxter) Steele
8	Robert Arnold DeCelle	Quincy	Lawrence W. & Gladys (Arnold) DeCelle
9	Madalena Berardi	Weymouth	Michael & Mary (DeLorenzo) Berardi
9	Elizabeth Ann Roberts	Weymouth	Walter C. & Margaret (Weeden) Roberts
9	Jean Burrows	Weymouth	James & Laura (Turstall) Burrows
10	Harriet Winifred Flint	Weymouth	Harry W. & Annie M. (Burke) Flint
10	Lois Alma Petrell	Weymouth	Arthur P. & Alma (Stetson) Petrell
10	Hugh Auon Rago	Weymouth	William A. & Daisy E. (Wheeler) Rago
10	Rita O'Neil	Weymouth	James B. & Margaret J. (Holland) O'Neil
10	Male	Milton	
11	Female	Boston	
12	Janet Ruth McGonnigal	Weymouth	Thomas C. & Marion E. (Sweet) McGonnigal
13	----- Hicks	Weymouth	James & Lilly M. (Hassard) Hicks
13	Robert Joseph Foster	Weymouth	Joseph F. & Evelyn M. (Josselyn) Foster
16	Betty Anne Campbell	Quincy	James & Janet D. (McIntyre) Campbell
16	Lois Marie Ballard	Weymouth	Thomas J. & Laura T. (Leary) Ballard
17	Male	Braintree	
17	David Henry Brown	Weymouth	Harold J. & Helen G. (Howard) Brown
18	Ruth Elinor Maxwell	Weymouth	George V. & Mary M. (Norton) Maxwell
18	Glenn Webster Farmer	Weymouth	Adrian C. & Bernice E. (Patten) Farmer
18	Thelma Frances Gedick	Cambridge	Edwin C. & Nora F. (Hogan) Gedick
18	Edythe Rogers	Boston	Edward J. & Alice (Murray) Rogers
19	Harriet Marie Dixon	Weymouth	Frank H. & Ruth E. (McFarland) Dixon

20	Alice Louise Peckham	Weymouth	Leo J. & Elida H. (Fields) Peckham
20	Male	Boston	
21	John W. Norwe	Weymouth	William & Sadie M. (Sturtevant) Norwe
21	Gerald Rockwell Blanchard	Weymouth	Atwood R. & Bessie (Hatcher) Blanchard
23	Elmer Deming Potter, Jr.	Weymouth	Elmer D. & Joan (Kautz) Potter
24	Claire Edward Scott	Weymouth	Claire H. & Helen G. (Grigg) Scott
24	Jane Alice Boyle	Cambridge	Henry F. & Sarah A. (Welch) Boyle
25	Female	Weymouth	
26	Jean Eleanor Colarusso	Weymouth	Pasquale & Josephine A. (Bova) Colarusso
26	Guido Richard Caracciolo	Weymouth	Pasquale & Amelia (Giovanniello) Caracciolo
26	Allen Richard Burns	Quincy	Robert & Bertha (Dinegan) Burns
26	Vincent Robert Lauria	Weymouth	Donato & Jennie (Pisapia) Lauria
28	Charles Edward Francis	Weymouth	Donald B. & Dorothy (Crane) Francis
31	Patrick Joseph McCue	Weymouth	Thomas F. & Elmer B. (Green) McCue
Feb. 1	Philip Conrad Loring	Weymouth	Andrew & Florence L. (Green) Loring
1	Patricia Ann Carlson	Weymouth	Walter G. & Helen E. (Hayes) Carlson
2	Nickles Chames	Weymouth	John & Geneva A. (Martin) Chames
2	Leonard Eugene Wrye	Weymouth	Hugh I. & Hattie B. (Litchfield) Wrye
2	Aileen Therese York	Quincy	Benjamin H. & Julia (Driscoll) York
3	Jean Rosalie Reid	Boston	Eugene G. & Veronica M. (Goodwin) Reid
4	Charlotte Grace Hansen	Braintree	Herbert S. & Agnes M. (Bergman) Hansen
5	Dorothy Jean Trufant	Weymouth	Meredith B. & Mary E. (Hebert) Trufant
7	Thomas Chester Barnham, 3rd.	Weymouth	Thomas C. & Beatrice S. (Ripley) Barnham
7	Pauline Jenny Baublis	Weymouth	Joseph C. & Mary (Lack) Baublis
7	Charles William Hilliard	Boston	William M. & Frances L. (Lewis) Hilliard
7	Leonard Melchionno	Weymouth	Gaetano & Maria A. V. (Azzato) Melchionno
9	Female	Weymouth	
9	Esther Lorean Charles	Weymouth	Frederick A. & Bernice E. (Rand) Charles
9	Lillian Grace Belcher	Weymouth	Reginald W. & Mary E. (O'Reilly) Belcher
11	Marion Lucille O'Connor	Weymouth	Lawrence V. & Marguerite (Easton) O'Connor
12	Eleanor Lee Forand	Weymouth	Harold E. & Elanor A. (Auslin) Forand
13	Jean Louise Leslie	Weymouth	Herbert L. & Louise B. (Reed) Leslie
14	Jeanette Ann Molisse	Weymouth	Anillo & Rose M. (Ventre) Molisse

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Feb. 14	Luella Ann Mace	Weymouth	Lyman F. & Mildred D. (Cramer) Mace
15	Marielle Edwards Simpson	Arlington	Herbert A. & Marielle A. (Edwards) Simpson
16	James Robertson	Weymouth	Newton R. & Lucy M. (Norton) Robertson
17	Herbert Leslie Caldwell, Jr.	Weymouth	Herbert L. & Mildred E. (Walsh) Caldwell
20	Constance Lorraine Hughes	Weymouth	David O. & Marjorie M. (Rea) Hughes
20	Allan Gregg Patterson	Weymouth	Walter G. & Viola F. (Valentovich) Patterson
20	Raymond Wesley Barrows	Weymouth	Raymond S. & Jessie F. (Jennes) Barrows
20	(Female) Roose	Weymouth	Edward T. & Lucy M. (Ritter) Roose
20	Natalie Elizabeth Duncan	Weymouth	Harry F. & Aly L. (Hill) Duncan
21	Joan Louise Kemp	Weymouth	Kenneth P. & Stella J. (Slade) Kemp
22	Weston Elbert Hulse	Weymouth	E. Weston & Jessie L. (Shumaker) Hulse
22	Grace Barbara Bleakney	Weymouth	Charles R. & Grace (Whitman) Bleakney
24	Bernice Ann Hammarstrom	Boston	Carl & Bernice L. (Emery) Hammarstrom
24	Phyllis May Swift	Weymouth	Walter & Nellie (Palmer) Swift
24	Delores Anita Sarno	Weymouth	Thomas & Laura (Wight) Sarno
24	William Herbert Spencer	Braintree	Albert E. & Olive T. (Wynot) Spencer
25	Joan Tooher	Cohasset	Dennis E. & Grace E. (Lanagan) Tooher
25	Marjorie Ruth Hay	Weymouth	Gordon J. & Ruth E. (Scott) Hay
25	Kenneth Francis O'Brien	Boston	Cornelius & Hannah A. (McCarthy) O'Brien
26	Julia VanRensselaer Crowell	Weymouth	Merrithew V. & Elizabeth A. (Graeske) Crowell
26	Raymond Hennebury	Weymouth	Patrick J. & Mary E. (Bourget) Hennebury
26	Pasqualine Felecia Rivelli	Weymouth	Pasquale & Felicia M. (Varlino) Rivelli
27	Elbert Henry Sampson	Weymouth	Elbert H. & Amy M. (Taylor) Sampson
27	Francis Wyman Tirrell	Weymouth	Arleigh L. & Helen E. (Wyman) Tirrell
27	Male	Weymouth	
28	Iva Rosella Norris	Weymouth	Albert & Rosella (Inck) Norris
28	Gwendolyn Gloria Cignarella	Weymouth	John & Gwendolyn (Poulin) Cignarella
28	Alma Louise Mathisen	Weymouth	Harold & Elsie (Perry) Mathisen
28	William Edward Nichols	Weymouth	Edward C. & Arita T. (Holdgate) Nichols
Mar. 1.	Ralph Bentley Peach, Jr.	Weymouth	Ralph B. & Lottie (Ferne) Peach
1	Ruby Lorraine Newell	Weymouth	Earle R. & Nathalie H. (Kenney) Newell
2	Diane March Carlson	Brockton	E. John & Doris (Johnson) Carlson

3	Peter Edward Gaillardet	Quincy	Peter E. & Gladys S. (Beach) Gaillardet
3	Richard Joseph Read	Weymouth	Walter E. & Margaret L. (Dennehy) Read
4	Robert Leo Kane	Weymouth	William J. & Alice B. (Ford) Kane
4	Elizabeth Phyllis Levangie	Weymouth	Russell M. & Lillian E. (Barry) Levangie
5	Thalia Fautinea Pappageorge	Weymouth	Louis & Elizabeth M. (Stone) Pappageorge
5	Gertrude Adella Colebrooke	Boston	Amsell A. & Gertrude (Poeblman) Colebrooke
7	Rita Shirley Stokes	Weymouth	John P. & Lena (Dessendo) Stokes
7	Male	Boston	
9	Richard Chelmar Taylor	Weymouth	Kenneth C. & Marietta M. (Blanchard) Taylor
9	Margaret Mahar	Weymouth	James T. & Margaret E. (Healey) Mahar
10	Barbara Anne Scahill	Weymouth	John J. & Anne W. (McHale) Scahill
11	(Female) Coughlin	Weymouth	Timothy J. & May A. (Buttimer) Coughlin
12	Ronald LeRoy Macri	Weymouth	Gregorio J. & Adelaide T. (Brown) Macri
12	Alan Ray Cromack	Quincy	H. G. Newton & Gertrude F. (Culley) Cromack
12	Robert Francis Clawson	Weymouth	Frank I. & Janet (Gault) Clawson
12	Barbara Jean Clawson	Weymouth	Frank I. & Janet (Gault) Clawson
13	Fred Lincoln Glover	Weymouth	Willard R. & Catherine E. (Kilroy) Glover
13	Forrester Harlan Clemons	Quincy	Charles C. & Ruth L. (Collins) Clemons
13	Richard Webster Faxon	Weymouth	Richard W. & Edith M. (Simpson) Faxon
14	Charlotte Lorraine Drysdale	Weymouth	Charles C. & Alice E. (Black) Drysdale
15	Gerandine Babino	Braintree	Lawrence A. & Elizabeth (Johnston) Babino
17	Arthur Clifton Bertoni	Weymouth	Angelo M. & Pansy M. (Bowley) Bertoni
17	Deane Phillip Price	Weymouth	George W. & Marjorie N. (Monroe) Price
18	Marjorie Phyllis Stewart	Weymouth	Harry W. & Edith M. (Small) Stewart
18	Nancy Marshall Woolf	Weymouth	Henry A. & Stella M. (Church) Woolf
19	Betty Jean DeMello	Weymouth	John W. & Marion M. (Chalmers) DeMello
19	James Kay Senigo	Weymouth	John R. & Terry W. (Woodson) Senigo
19	Kenneth Eldon DeYoung	Weymouth	Andrew & Dorothy A. (Young) DeYoung
20	Bruce Warrington Burrell	Weymouth	Malcolm B. & Ruth H. (Blurton) Burrell
22	Archibald John Barker	Weymouth	Moses A. & Rebecca H. (Clawson) Barker
24	Edith Ruth Wetherell	Weymouth	Raymond H. & Edith (Houlker) Wetherell
24	Bruce Abbott Rose	Weymouth	Lloyd M. & Hazel M. (Studley) Rose
24	Carl Frederick Heger	Weymouth	Charles R. & Rose A. (Flynn) Heger

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Mar. 24	Male	Weymouth	
24	Eleanor Elizabeth Perry	Weymouth	Carl E. & Elsie T. (Lindstrom) Perry
24	(Female) McNulty	Weymouth	William & Genevieve (Landgren) McNulty
26	Jane Elizabeth Kershaw	Weymouth	Joseph R. & Doris Z. (Smith) Kershaw
26	John Sidney Christian Peterson	Weymouth	Carl & Helga M. (Anderson) Peterson
27	Thomas Francis Fay	Weymouth	Patrick J. & Mary (McDonough) Fay
29	Peter John Garden	Weymouth	Patrick L. & Myrtle M. (Gould) Garden
29	Ruth Jane Ireland	Milton	Wallace & Emily (Williams) Ireland
30	Edward Joseph Morse, Jr.	Weymouth	Edward J. & Dorothy K. (Getz) Morse
31	Male	Weymouth	
April 1	Franklin Carleton Boraks	Weymouth	Charles & Augusta (Bloom) Boraks
1	Carolyn Cushing Thompson	Weymouth	Porter W. & Ada L. (Bower) Thompson
2	Lucy Alice DeYoung	Brockton	Harold J. & Alice G. (Mahon) DeYoung
2	Marjorie Linscott	Weymouth	Chester L. & Edith M. (Jermyn) Linscott
2	Richard Frazier D'Ambrosia	Weymouth	Daniel & Mildred M. (Frazier) D'Ambrosia
3	Female	Weymouth	
3	James Laurence Foster	Weymouth	Edward H. & Helen R. (Marks) Foster
5	Joan Fay Chase	Weymouth	Benjamin & Anna M. (Cahill) Chase
6	Elizabeth May Newton	Boston	Chester R. & Margaret A. (Willett) Newton
6	Norma Elizabeth Cater	Weymouth	Norman L. & Grace A. (Bruce) Cater
10	Burton Thayer Chandler	Weymouth	Burton D. & Mildred E. (Thayer) Chandler
11	June Hutchinson	Weymouth	E. Howard & Mildred E. (Brock) Hutchinson
12	John Francis Sheehan	Quincy	Fred & Mary (Keaveny) Sheehan
13	Aniello Leonard Russo	Weymouth	Dominic & Mary (Rosetti) Russo
13	Roger Melvin Carling	Weymouth	Carl O. & Ruth D. (Backlund) Carling
13	Phillip William Metcalf	Weymouth	Arnold W. & Hilda (Wright) Metcalf
14	James David O'Dowd	Boston	James A. & Hazel (Hatch) O'Dowd
15	Francis Cummings	Quincy	Dennis L. & Hazel B. (Beaton) Cummings
16	Henry Edward Cappola	Weymouth	Albert & Margaret (Parnaby) Cappola
16	Bartlett Holmes Anderson	Weymouth	Russell W. & Andora S. (Bartlett) Anderson
17	Robert Carroll Studley	Weymouth	Philander & Mary C. (Barry) Studley
18	Female	Weymouth	

18	Francis Tucci	Weymouth	Charles & Angelina (Pizzi) Tucci
18	Virginia Jayne McIntosh	Weymouth	Ronald B. & Virginia E. (Gadd) McIntosh
19	Meredith Jene Yule	Weymouth	Archibald S. & Marion F. (McLaughlin) Yule
19	Carolyn May Wight	Weymouth	Charles E. & Dorothy (Turner) Wight
19	David Pierce Lebet	Weymouth	Louis D. & Emma L. (Atwood) Lebet
20	Evelyn Rose Zeoli	Weymouth	Antonio F. & Marion A. (Pierce) Zeoli
21	Edith Marjorie Payne	Weymouth	Fred W. & Edna M. (Pierce) Payne
21	Pauline May Doedecke	Weymouth	Mark H. & Margaret C. (Rutter) Doedecke
22	Jean Perret Lavanchy	Weymouth	Charles M. & Ruth A. (Davis) Lavanchy
22	Mary Sheila Bryant	Quincy	Arnold S. & Julia Helen (McCarthy) Bryant
22	Barbara Anne Fitzgerald	Weymouth	Reginald P. & Gertrude A. (McGrann) Fitzgerald
22	Robert Orville Sterling	Weymouth	George O. & Beatrice E. (Burns) Sterling
23	Donald Edward Vitagliano	Weymouth	Joseph A. & Florence F. (Farina) Vitagliano
23	Dorothy Margaret Parnaby	Weymouth	George T. & Margaret M. (Barnes) Parnaby
24	Virginia Florence McCullin	Weymouth	Charles L. & Frances (Snow) McCullin
24	Francis Joseph Bergan	Weymouth	Francis P. & Eunice C. (Lydon) Bergan
24	Malcolm Wayne Ward	Boston	John M. & Ruby B. (Leighton) Ward
25	Paul Stanton Smith	Quincy	Roy E. & Edith L. (Hayes) Smith
25	William Sheehan	Weymouth	Albert S. & Louise M. (Lynch) Sheehan
26	(Male) Dightman	Weymouth	John A. & Anna F. (Mitchell) Dightman
26	Charles Nichols Oliva	Weymouth	John F. & Annie L. (MacNayr) Oliva
27	Charles Jessop	Weymouth	John J. & Ethel E. (Peterson) Jessop
27	Margery Perrow	Weymouth	Allan J. & Arletta (Nickerson) Perrow
28	Arthur Panora	Weymouth	Anthony R. & Ella M. (Swarbrick) Panora
28	(Male)	Weymouth	
28	(Male)	Weymouth	
May 1	Mary Eleanor Cantara	Weymouth	Wilford A. & Alfrida I. (Sandberg) Cantara
1	Joan Claire Thomas	Weymouth	William H. & Martha E. (Rintamaki) Thomas
2	Stanley Thomas Durken	Weymouth	Thomas J. & Emma M. (Stanley) Durken
3	Barbara Ann Gillette	Weymouth	George K., Jr. & Marjorie L. (West) Gillette
4	Marshall Ames Ries, Jr.	Weymouth	Marshall A. & Margaret E. (Parker) Ries
4	James Edward Flynn	Weymouth	James W. & Helen F. (Reagan) Flynn
5	Helen Monica McGlynn	Weymouth	Michael J. & Katherine T. (Murphy) McGlynn

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May 8	Paul Richard Trapp	Weymouth	Frederick & Mary E. (Handy) Trapp
9	Harrison Leo Ferbert	Weymouth	John B. & Edith M. (Loud) Ferbert
10	Charles Vernon Mathews	Weymouth	Vernon C. & Marian (Tibbetts) Mathews
10	Grace Ruth Hurshman	Weymouth	Leyland A. & Ruth I. (Tucker) Hurshman
10	Gerald Joseph Galiano	Weymouth	Gerald J. & Alice V. (Gallivan) Galiano
10	Jenneth Francis D'Ambrosia	Weymouth	Joseph & Bertha F. (Whitney) D'Ambrosia
10	Robert Earl Woods	Weymouth	George C. & Elizabeth V. (Luikey) Woods
12	(Male)	Weymouth	
12	Margery Dean	Weymouth	Hubert T. & Frances E. (Stewart) Dean
14	Ethel Marjorie Voight	Weymouth	Carl C. & Esther F. (Fransen) Voight
14	Jane Elizabeth Roberts	Weymouth	Kenneth H. & Elizabeth (Thomson) Roberts
14	Shirley Bernice Galliher	Weymouth	Ancheater F. & Ada M. (Willey) Galliher
16	John Bernard Griffin	Weymouth	Herbert L. & Mildred J. (Delorey) Griffin
16	Mary Agnes Donohue	Weymouth	Francis J. & Catherine A. (Newell) Donohue
18	Barbara Ann Bowie	Weymouth	Francis V. & Ida E. (Phipps) Bowie
18	Arthur William Shores	Weymouth	Arthur R. & Louise E. (Miller) Shores
19	Barbara Lucy Litchfield	Weymouth	Benjamin G. & Rose G. (Spruhn) Litchfield
20	Helena Burkett	Weymouth	Arthur J. & Catherine H. (Treanor) Burkett
20	George Omer Gelinas, Jr.	Weymouth	George O. & Gertrude B. (Stanley) Gelinas
21	Bernice May MacPhelemy	Weymouth	George F. & Elmira F. (Cook) MacPhelemy
22	William Wesley Jones	Weymouth	Alvah W. & Barbara L. (Galbraith) Jones
22	Trueman Winslow Cook	Weymouth	Robert E. & Gertrude (Austin) Cook
24	David John Chiulli	Weymouth	John N. & Dorothy L. (Greedwood) Chiulli
26	Virginia Nelson	Weymouth	Chester B. & Dorothy (Blackwell) Nelson
27	Robert Walter Preston	Weymouth	Jerry F. & Germaine L. (Esperence) Preston
27	Arthur Melvin Owen	Weymouth	William R. & Mildred (Finch) Owen
28	John Ellsworth Shores	Weymouth	Harold E. & Audrey F. (Edmonds) Shores
29	Luther Grey Fulton	Weymouth	Lester R. & Marion E. (Bartlett) Fulton
30	(Male) Dorn	Weymouth	John J. & Ruth K. (Diamond) Dorn
31	Frances Marie Corridan	Weymouth	Lawrence P. & Helen R. (Donovan) Corridan
June 1	Dorothy June Smith	Weymouth	Lloyd W. & Effie (McKenzie) Smith
2	Marie Catherine Sullivan	Weymouth	Joseph F. & Harriet E. (Arnold) Sullivan

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June 26	Mary Ann Craig	Weymouth	Lawrence E. & Dorothea E. (Johnson) Craig
26	Wallace Fred Ritter	Weymouth	Frank S. & Bertha L. (Chappell) Ritter
26	Jeannette Caroline Mitchell	Quincy	William A. & Constance (Duncan) Mitchell
26	Rose Marie Amabile	Weymouth	Ralph J. & Ethel G. (Dowd) Amabile
27	Irene Marie Longchamps	Weymouth	Paul H. & Annette (Boileau) Longchamps
27	Malcolm MacKinnon	Weymouth	John R. & Katherine (Yemin) MacKinnon
27	Roderick MacKinnon	Weymouth	John R. & Katherine (Yemin) MacKinnon
27	Charles William Barcelo	Weymouth	Ronald T. & Una (Hunnewell) Barcelo
28	Francis Brownell Hathaway, Jr.	Weymouth	Francis B. & Alice I. (Ferber) Hathaway
29	Edward John White	Weymouth	Walter J. & Margaret C. (Perrow) White
30	Joan Ann Reardon	Weymouth	John B. & Verneta C. (Trask) Reardon
30	June Beckes	Weymouth	Maurice M. & Mabel (Hazleton) Beckes
July 4	Melvin Gary LeMay	Weymouth	Melvin F. & Ethel M. (Randall) LeMay
4	LeRoy Irving Race, Jr.	Weymouth	LeRoy I. & Lillian M. (LaBrake) Race
5	Richard Higgins, Jr.	Weymouth	Richard & Catherine D. (MacDonald) Higgins
5	Rosamond Christine Splaine	Quincy	John H. & Elizabeth W. (Richards) Splaine
6	(Male)	Weymouth	
6	Jean Frances Raymond	Braintree	Ralph E. & Carolyn M. (Fairbanks) Raymond
7	Pamela Compton Murdock	Boston	Albert L. & Musa C. (Kennard) Murdock
7	Robert Wiliam Carl	Boston	Leo & Ethel M. (Barnes) Carl
8	Geraldine Sussane Sherlock	Braintree	John S. & Elizabeth J. (Torney) Sherlock
9	William James Anderson	Weymouth	Thomas F. & Julia (Ferri) Anderson
10	Herbert Arthur Rideout	Weymouth	Edward H. & Edna L. (Strout) Rideout
10	Joane Ryan	Weymouth	Edward L. & Agnes M. (Donovan) Ryan
11	Roger Turrill MacPhelemy	Weymouth	Donald H. & Ruth E. (Kierstead) MacPhelemy
12	Elaine Teresa Acorn	Weymouth	William B. & Agnes C. (Bridges) Acorn
13	John Joseph Bowen	Quincy	Lawrence J. & Gertrude T. (Maloney) Bowen
13	Mary Elizabeth Jackson	Weymouth	Ezekial & Mabel M. (Purvis) Jackson
12	Carla Ann Willyoung	Weymouth	Carl A. & Marian (Sippel) Willyoung
14	Carolyn Blanchard Mellen	Weymouth	Chester B. & Evelyn E. (Ford) Mellen
15	Robert Wilfred Cox	Weymouth	John P. & Isabella F. (Cowing) Cox
16	William Nelson Kiely	Weymouth	William J. & Evelyn E. (Nelson) Kiely

16	Robert Leonard Wynne	Weymouth	John B. & Florence H. (Liffier) Wynne
16	Gerald William O'Neil	Weymouth	Timothy S. & Mary F. (Brown) O'Neil
17	Mary Louise D'Allesandro	Weymouth	Anthony & Theresa M. (Cipillo) D'Allesandro
18	Gladys Margaret Cobbett	Weymouth	Clifford R. & Helen M. (Austin) Cobbett
18	Sally Wentworth	Weymouth	John Q. & Eleanor A. (Torrey) Wentworth
19	Frank Digaetano	Weymouth	Angelo & Josephine (Graziano) Digaetano
22	George Warren Cahill	Weymouth	Edward D. & Dorothy R. (Smith) Cahill
23	Everett Liley Simonds	Weymouth	Everett C. & Hazel F. (Liley) Simonds
23	Harry Magnus Thompson, Jr.	Weymouth	Harry M. & Edna (Sargent) Thompson
23	Robert Alexander Smith	Weymouth	Robert & Edna (Meldrum) Smith
23	Marie Jellow	Quincy	Walter L. & Stacia (Chepetsky) Jellow
24	John Kersey Delahunt, Jr.	Weymouth	John K. & Helen J. (Morrison) Delahunt
24	William Charles Swan	Weymouth	William F. & Mary V. (McGee) Swan
26	John Lopen Shores	Weymouth	Ellsworth L. & Elsa B. (Kuehn) Shores
27	Carol Anna MacNutt	Weymouth	Chester C. & Edna F. (Newcomb) MacNutt
28	Thomas Fallon Shields	Boston	William F. & Mary (Fallon) Shields
29	Carl Gardner Atwood	Weymouth	Freeman G. & Dorothy H. (Poole) Atwood
29	Charline Virginia Tritton	Weymouth	Charles & Pauline E. (Blackwell) Tritton
30	Barbara Jean Laskey	Weymouth	George W. & Caroline E. (Gerald) Laskey
30	Thelma Rita Ross	Weymouth	William D. & Margaret J. C. (McDonald) Ross
31	(Male) Wilcox	Boston	Leonard & Bessie (Kincard) Wilcox
Aug. 1	Mary Virginia Lynch	Weymouth	Daniel F. & Katherine V. (Curley) Lynch
2	Shirley May Blomgren	Weymouth	Albert E. & Ethel M. (Levangie) Blomgren
2	Paul Downing	Weymouth	Charles J. & Grace B. (Riley) Downing
3	(Male)	Weymouth	
3	(Female) Bamforth	Boston	Charles & Ethel (Paul) Bamforth
4	Marion Irene Reynolds	Weymouth	Austin S. & Marion I. (Shaw) Reynolds
5	Richard Austin Powers	Weymouth	Charles A. & Dorothy M. (Springford) Powers
5	Ralph Louis Armstrong, Jr.	Weymouth	Ralph L. & Helen G. (Muldoon) Armstrong
5	Ann Desmond	Braintree	Walter D. & Mary L. (Lyons) Desmond
6	Dorothy Angelina Daniele	Weymouth	John & Josephine (Barbieri) Daniele
8	Elizabeth Conant Greer	Weymouth	Roland L. & Myrtle C. (Wentworth) Greer
8	Fay Marlene Burns	Weymouth	Dwight T. & Emma W. (Hixon) Burns

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Aug. 8	Willard Wilder Robinson	Weymouth	Howard P. & Mabel M. (Richards) Robinson
9	Jenieve E. Newcomb	Weymouth	Arthur W. & Margaret E. (Thornton) Newcomb
9	Patricia Marie O'Neal	Weymouth	Frederick J. & Lillian R. (Jones) O'Neal
11	Erville Lawrence Curtis, Jr.	Braintree	Erville L. & Doris L. (Howe) Curtis
11	Nancy Reeves Remington	Weymouth	Ralph R. & Nancy B. (Clark) Remington
12	Dale Ryder Hendrickson	Weymouth	William A. & Viola D. (Meyer) Hendrickson
12	Patricia Goodridge	Quincy	Maynard H. & Gertrude M. (Brown) Goodridge
12	Waldo Alexander Fraser, Jr.	Weymouth	Waldo A. & Louise (Clark) Fraser
13	Jean Elizabeth Fiaschetti	Weymouth	Dominic J. & Bertha M. (Johnson) Fiaschetti
14	Earl Vincent Norcott	Weymouth	James A. & Marion (Stewart) Norcott
14	Barbara Louise Hawes	Weymouth	George A. & Nancy B. (Wieting) Hawes
15	Mary Abb Paone	Weymouth	Dominic & Angela (Fucci) Paone
16	David Francis Mulready	Weymouth	Robert & Violet M. (Hinman) Mulready
19	Ellsworth Lincoln Margetts, Jr.	Weymouth	Ellsworth L. & Edith M. (Moore) Margetts
19	Edmond Thomas Callahan	Weymouth	Edmond T. & Madeline A. (Hennebury) Callahan
19	Anna May Ritter	Weymouth	Hugh F. & Alice M. (Mallery) Ritter
20	William Edward Clancy	Boston	Daniel H. & Anne (Fair) Clancy
20	Ann Wentworth	Boston	Fred L. & Beryl (Bean) Wentworth
20	(Female)	Weymouth	
21	Sidney Richard DeBoer	Weymouth	Sidney, & Hazel G. (Cox) DeBoer
22	Anthony Cleto Barasso	Weymouth	Anthony & Rose (Mardozzo) Barasso
23	George Irving Custance	Weymouth	George E. & Margaret I. (Rood) Custance
23	Robert Elmer Holman	Weymouth	Melvin H. & Marion C. (Whitman) Holman
24	Marilyn Eileen Clark	Weymouth	Gordon W. & Dorothy P. (Shute) Clark
24	Dorothy Alice Door	Weymouth	Warren W. & Evelyn M. (Jewers) Door
24	Norine Necia Blanchard	Weymouth	Frederick S. & Necia P. (Handy) Blanchard
24	Mildred Ellen Cain	Boston	George D. & Caryl (Howes) Cain
26	Rita Louise Brown	Weymouth	Joseph W. & Gertrude (Gaignon) Brown
26	Kenneth Lewis Torrey	Weymouth	Kenneth A. & Esther M. (Ferber) Torrey
27	Patricia Elizabeth White	Weymouth	William T. & Margaret F. (Collins) White
27	John Henry Pagington	Weymouth	Charles T. & Rosalind L. (Tibbetts) Pagington
28	Walter Herbert Robertson	Weymouth	William C. & Mary A. (Lunny) Robertson

29	Barbara Nosiglia	Braintree	Victor L. & Edna M. (Brennan) Nosiglia
31	Jean Lorraine Souther	Weymouth	Herbert & Ruth (Perry) Souther
31	Gilbert Corcoran	Weymouth	Daniel F. & Cecelia E. (Hutt) Corcoran
Sept. 2	Leo Fisher	Quincy	James A. & Marie A. (Griesman) Fisher
3	Eva Louise Menchin	Weymouth	Charles A. & Elizabeth E. (Glover) Menchin
3	Natalie Dodge	Weymouth	Allan B. & Elsie (Thomas) Dodge
3	Richard Allen Lambert	Weymouth	Clifton A. & Florence M. (Mortimer) Lambert
4	Kenneth Francis Holbrook	Weymouth	Kenneth F. & Catherine F. (MacEntree) Holbrook
4	Patricia Donovan	Weymouth	William H. & Ida F. (DeLorey) Donovan
4	Charles Lamont Hall	Weymouth	Paul L. & Violette L. (Brode) Hall
4	Robert Wallace Kearney	Weymouth	Robert W. & Lillian (McDermott) Kearney
6	Ronald Alfred Schuler	Boston	William H., Jr. & Mildred (Mitchell) Schuler
6	Gilbert Francis Schultz	Weymouth	Bernard B. & Ruth A. (Cushing) Schultz
7	Bertram Everett Grigg	Weymouth	Harry L. & Mary E. (Hollis) Grigg
8	Rita Minnie Duranto	Weymouth	John G. & Rose (Cassetti) Duranto
8	Patricia Ann Hayes	Weymouth	Dennis C. & Margaret L. (McCarthy) Hayes
8	Thomas Wilson McMorrow	Weymouth	Frederick W. & Bernice L. (Sabin) McMorrow
9	Eleanor DeLorenzo	Weymouth	Michael & Jennie (Demetrio) DeLorenzo
9	Robert Edwin Hodder	Weymouth	Leslie E. & Lena N. (Anstey) Hodder
12	Elizabeth Anne Belcher	Weymouth	Weston B. & Esther (Torrey) Belcher
14	John Gilmartin	Weymouth	John J. & Geraldine F. (Gilbride) Gilmartin
15	Robert Louis Murphy	Weymouth	Joseph P. & Grace A. (Spires) Murphy
15	Jane Anne Wiseman	Weymouth	James F. & Maria E. (Trudeau) Wiseman
15	(Female) Pierce	Brockton	Harry B. & Mildred E. (Bullock) Pierce
16	Lorraine Frances Bird	Weymouth	Frederick T., Sr. & Edyth A. (Tarbox) Bird
16	Eric Arnold Maslen	Weymouth	Albert & Ruby (Smith) Maslen
17	Lewis Martin Talmadge	Brockton	Adam P. & Edith (Campbell) Talmadge
18	William Henry Ahlstradt	Weymouth	Albert & Madeline T. (Reardon) Ahlstradt
18	Douglas Malcolm Gregor	Weymouth	James & Margery (Teel) Gregor
19	James Buonopane	Cohasset	Raphael T. & Mary F. (McCann) Buonopane
19	Waler Allan Beals	Weymouth	Frederick W. & Edith F. (Fowle) Beals
19	Eva Victorine Murphy	Weymouth	Peter J. & Eva V. (Riboux) Murphy
19	Janet Marie Topham	Quincy	Charles & Priscilla (DeCoste) Topham

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Sept. 20	George T. Kieley	Weymouth	Harold & Evelyn M. (Frazier) Kieley
20	Natalie Jean Ames	Weymouth	Percival A. & Ruth M. (Fiske) Ames
20	Wilfred Vincent Zeoli	Weymouth	Frank J. & Winifred (Keefe) Zeoli
22	(Female)	Weymouth	
22	Louis Alphonse Cicchese	Weymouth	Arthur M. & Anna M. (Cipullo) Cicchese
22	Sally Elizabeth Corthell	Weymouth	Robert P. & Lillian E. (Ripley) Corthell
22	John Edward Shaw, Jr.	Quincy	John E. & Hortense E. (Wilder) Shaw
22	Patricia Marie Dwyer	Weymouth	Patrick H. & Rose Anna (DeCoste) Dwyer
22	Nancy Howes	Boston	Richard O. & Anna (Haley) Howes
23	Carol Gourley	Weymouth	Fred & Ruth (Munroe) Gourley
23	Robert James Duffney	Weymouth	George W. & Katherine A. (Ryan) Duffney
23	Leo John Saunders	Weymouth	Leo M. & Grace R. (Sturtevant) Saunders
23	Richard Alan Coffman	Brockton	Samuel P. & Ida (Miller) Coffman
26	Shirley Mae Horsley	Weymouth	Harry & Esther A. (Erickson) Horsley
28	Estelle Christine Cassese	Weymouth	Emerico & Gertrude (Weldon) Cassese
28	(Male) DuBerger	Weymouth	Roland E. & Edwina (Berner) DuBerger
29	(Female) Dickinson	Quincy	Clifton & Elsie (Engrin) Dickinson
Oct. 2	Joan Austin	Weymouth	Ralph W. & Marion L. (Howe) Austin
2	John Leonard Titchen, Jr.	Weymouth	John L. & Lillian M. (Ellis) Titchen
3	Kenneth Whittemore	Weymouth	Frank E. & Bernice E. (Baldwin) Whittemore
5	Paul Douglas Bumpus	Weymouth	Howard C. & Emily L. (Burrell) Bumpus
9	(Female) Nista	Weymouth	Joseph A. & Mary A. (LaRocco) Nista
9	Margaret Robinson	Weymouth	Peter V. & Anna (Byrne) Robinson
9	James Lee Draper	Boston	William L. & Edith (Green) Draper
10	Barbara Jane Brown	Braintree	Elmer P. & Florence M. (Holmes) Brown
10	Mary Louise Shutt	Weymouth	John W. & Margaret M. (Husband) Shutt
11	George Francis Dolan	Weymouth	Harold S. & Edna E. (Draper) Dolan
15	Sheila Ryan	Weymouth	John J. & Agnes (Larken) Ryan
16	George Francis Pratt	Weymouth	Asa B. & Josephine (McKinstry) Pratt
16	Warren Irving Osgood	Quincy	Randolph I. & Esther E. (Salenius) Osgood
17	Gilda Medeline Bloom	Weymouth	Morris & Rebecca (Brochfield) Bloom
18	Mary Ellen McLaughlin	Quincy	Edmund L. & Jennie M. (Pepe) McLaughlin

19	(Female) Crane	Weymouth	Douglas L. & Gunhild (Paulson) Crane
19	Donald Arthur Bliss	Quincy	Clinton F. & Muriel (Stadd) Bliss
20	Eugene Ambrose Smith, Jr.	Weymouth	Eugene A. & Winifred G. (Lynch) Smith
20	Richard Allen Miller	Boston	Eugene & Alice (Cross) Miller
20	Russell Alden Small	Quincy	Albert F. & Mae I. (Coombs) Small
21	Rose Franklin Sherman	Weymouth	Royce & Marguerite (Lincoln) Sherman
21	(Female)	Weymouth	
21	Robert Gow Aydelott	Quincy	Robert G. & Mildred (Peterson) Aydelott
22	Michael Frank Costa	Weymouth	John & Mary (Spolsino) Costa
22	Barbara Annie Cobb	Quincy	John C. & Isabella (Angres) Cobb
23	Estelle Lois Comeau	Weymouth	Leon J. & Evelyn M. (Ross) Comeau
24	Lawrence Richard Hennebury, Jr.	Weymouth	Lawrence R. & Gwendolyn (Blakhard) Hennebury
24	Audrey Ruth Angelin	Weymouth	Henry T. & Ruth M. (Holmes) Angelin
25	Robert Sheridan Cushing	Weymouth	Leonard F. & Edna G. (Maguire) Cushing
25	Virginia Walsh	Boston	Walter & Ednia (Lucia) Walsh
27	Edith Shirley Hall	Weymouth	Frederick H. & Edith (Coggswell) Hall
27	----- Cheverie	Quincy	William H. & Mary (McNeil) Cheverie
28	Marjorie Ann Wilbur	Weymouth	Keble S. & Madeline G. (Bradley) Wilbur
28	Donald Frederick Robbins, Jr.	Weymouth	Donald F. & Freda (Allison) Robbins
29	Marie Elizabeth Comeau	Weymouth	John A. & Mary L. (Keefe) Comeau
30	Charles Lafayette Stebbins	Weymouth	Albert N. & Marion I. (LaFayette) Stebbins
30	Mary Monica Killilea	Weymouth	Thomas F. & Geraldine M. (Carpenter) Killilea
30	Donald Murray Snyder	Weymouth	Joseph A. & Esther H. (Goodwin) Snyder
30	Anne Evelyn Huff	Weymouth	Charles E. & Evelyn I. (Saunders) Huff
31	Ruth Joyce Ball	Weymouth	Walter L. & Mildred M. (Gould) Ball
31	Jean Frances Cazeault	Quincy	Pearson C. & Marion E. (Tracy) Cazeault
Nov. 2	Shirley Elizabeth Wade	Weymouth	Oscar L. & Bertha F. (Thomas) Wade
2	Edna Louise Calderara	Weymouth	Charles A. & Alice (Bourne) Calderara
2	Janet Ewart McRoberts	Weymouth	George & Jessie (Dow) McRoberts
2	Graham White	Weymouth	Frank & Molly B. (Stewart) White
3	Patricia Mary Rafferty	Weymouth	Thomas E. & Mary (McCaffrey) Rafferty
3	Charles Wendell Gassett, Jr.	Weymouth	Charles W. & Gertrude J. (Stedman) Gassett
4	Gladys Marie Mulligan	Weymouth	Clarence E. & Margaret (Delorey) Mulligan

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Nov. 4	Joan Nancy Holub	Boston	Joseph & Jeannette V. (Sikorsky) Holub
6	Robert Clinton Capen	Weymouth	Linwood G. & Grace E. (Merritt) Capen
6	Gabriele Filippo Striglio	Weymouth	Santo & Lena J. (Tulozzi) Striglio
6	Virginia Jane Horsch	Weymouth	Augustus F. & Nellie V. (Finn) Horsch
7	Richard Elliot Delano	Weymouth	Henry F. & Signe M. (Risberg) Delano
8	Edna Marilyn Wolfe	Quincy	Philip H. & Margaret H. (Beltring) Wolfe
9	Allen Joseph Holbrook	Braintree	William A. & Eva (Levangie) Holbrook
10	Richard Ashley Conway	Weymouth	George & Helen M. (Baker) Conway
10	Caroline Elizabeth Box	Weymouth	Hiram R. & Elizabeth (Jorgensen) Box
10	Donna Claire Blanchard	Weymouth	Stanley & Rachel (Carroll) Blanchard
11	Barbara Ruth Gillies	Weymouth	Charles W. & Marjorie R. (Sullivan) Gillies
11	Pauline Hanifan	Weymouth	Timothy F. & Mary A. (Welsh) Hanifan
11	Paul Hanifan	Weymouth	Timothy F. & Mary A. (Welsh) Hanifan
12	Florence May Bearce	Weymouth	Francis L. & Clara M. (Price) Bearce
12	Anne Fitzgerald	Weymouth	Henry K. & Miriam C. (Mulready) Fitzgerald
12	Patricia Marie Harding	Weymouth	William C. & Isabelle E. (Johnson) Harding
13	Ann Marie Mahar	Weymouth	Francis J. & Mary F. (Gogan) Mahar
13	David Otis McCarthy	Boston	David O. & Abbie (Woodworth) McCarthy
13	(Male) French	Boston	Nathan & Vegie (Rowan) French
14	Geraldine Mahoney	Weymouth	Joseph W. & Lucy (Parker) Mahoney
14	Rose Marie DeViot	Weymouth	Pasquale & Mary V. (Andretta) DeViot
17	Richard Burton Crawford	Weymouth	Henry T. & Ruth H. (Goulding) Crawford
17	Pauline Quinby	Weymouth	Malcolm J. & Martha K. (Van Horn) Quinby
19	Barbara Frances Anderson	Weymouth	Raymond F. & Nora (Spence) Anderson
21	Charlotte Santry Desmond	Weymouth	John H. & Helen (Caldwell) Desmond
21	(Male)	Weymouth	
21	Evelynne Ellis	Weymouth	Frederick J. & Fannie T. B. (Cask) Ellis
23	John Crocker Billings	Weymouth	Frederick E. & Doris E. (Force) Billings
23	Alice Gagnon	Weymouth	Armand J. & Alvina I. (Gauthier) Gagnon
25	Frank Burton Sloate	Weymouth	Harry R., Jr. & Helen L. (Griffin) Sloate
25	Barbara Ann Peabody	Weymouth	Everett V. & Fanny L. (Austin) Peabody
25	Anita Marie Morales	Weymouth	Edward L. & Gertrude M. (LaPore) Morales

25	Pauline Anderson	Braintree	Oralie L. & Hilda I. (McKinnon) Anderson
27	Luella Porter Taylor	Weymouth	Frank H. & Ruth P. (Colyer) Taylor
27	John Edward McIntosh	Weymouth	Robert J. & Isabel K. (McCalder) McIntosh
27	Mary Helen Frazier	Weymouth	Percy E. & Helen L. (Smith) Frazier
28	(Female)	Weymouth	
28	Zenas Chester Trott	Weymouth	Zenas & Alice E. (Brown) Trott
28	John Holden	Waltham	John J. & Marion L. (Cole) Holden
29	Elizabeth MacDougall	Weymouth	John A. & Florence (MacDonald) MacDougall
29	Paul Ernest Sanderson	Quincy	Harold & Louise (Dusault) Sanderson
Dec. 1	(Male) Ryder	Weymouth	Henry H. & Harriet A. (Perron) Ryder
2	(Female)	Weymouth	
3	Robert Francis Hayden	Weymouth	Robert E. & Hermie M. (Moorehouse) Hayden
4	Charles Alfred Dart	Weymouth	Richard E. & Sarah E. (Hogarth) Dart
4	James Vincent Costa	Weymouth	James V. & Mildred L. (Volpe) Costa
4	Geraldine Theresa White	Weymouth	John C. & Mary S. (Perrow) White
4	Ralph Colletti	Quincy	Ralph & Angelina (Gireldi) Colletti
6	Donald Wilfred LaPointe	Weymouth	Walter J. & Regina (Cote) LaPointe
6	Betsy Dean Poole	Weymouth	Nelson A. & Doris V. (Purcell) Poole
7	Robert Emmet Merten	Weymouth	Bernard B. & Mary K. (White) Merten
7	Ann Catherine Cushing	Weymouth	Ralph S. & Agnes (Butler) Cushing
7	(Female) Zampine	Weymouth	Felice & Julia (Spera) Zampine
9	Eleanor Jean Reyenger	Weymouth	Theodore & Rachel (DeYoung) Reyenger
11	(Male) Kennedy	Weymouth	William E. & Gertrude M. (Bowding) Kennedy
12	James Blaine Chase	Quincy	Howard L. & Helen (Cowing) Chase
14	Sally Sanderson	Weymouth	Gordon C. & Dora (Beaton) Sanderson
15	Charles Milliken Wade	Weymouth	Robert G. & Nelly K. (Milliken) Wade
15	Mary Louise Daniels	Weymouth	Frank S. & Mary L. (LeBreck) Daniels
15	Dorothy Gladys Emery	Newton	Edward C. & Gladys D. (Conway) Emery
16	(Male)	Weymouth	
16	Viola Dentino	Weymouth	Henry & Madeline (Hollis) Dentino
17	Frances Ann Riley	Weymouth	Frank G. & Kethleen E. (Downing) Riley
17	Ann Elizabeth Levangie	Weymouth	Leo W. & Alice M. (Murphy) Levangie
17	Frank Randall Warren	Weymouth	Ralph D. & Mildred M. (Dollwer) Warren

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Dec. 17	Prescott Dodge Howland	Weymouth	Charles P. & Vivian M. (Mann) Howland
18	Carl John Olson	Weymouth	John O. & Myrtle L. (Jenks) Olson
18	Barbara Dean Garofalo	Weymouth	Olindo S. & Hattie F. (Follin) Garofalo
20	Pauline Madison	Weymouth	John C. & Pearl W. (Nelson) Madison
20	Richard Anthony Nese	Weymouth	Anthony & Elizabeth (Backerie) Nese
21	(Female)	Braintree	
22	Nancy Dixon Sterling	Quincy	James V. & Ruth F. (Payzant) Sterling
23	Alice Anne Akie	Weymouth	Thomas D. & Anna C. (Pearson) Akie
23	(Female) Barker	Weymouth	George L. & Annie E. (Eaton) Barker
24	Carol McCarthy	Weymouth	Albert L. & Marian T. (Sullivan) McCarthy
24	Margaret Roby Steeves	Quincy	Clarence P. & Hattie M. (Taylor) Steeves
26	James Carver Tyrie	Weymouth	James C. & Grace A. (Carver) Tyrie
26	Robert Benjamin Crocker	Quincy	Edward M. & Mary (Lavis) Crocker
27	(Male) King	Quincy	Ernest W. & Marjorie (Lyon) King
28	James Edward Buckley	Weymouth	Michael F. & Anna (Fogarty) Buckley
29	Richard Walter Madden	Weymouth	Edward L. & Marjorie E. (Holbrook) Madden
31	(Female) Graham	Weymouth	John J. & Mary M. (DiLorenzo) Graham

MARRIAGES

Marriages recorded in the Town of Weymouth
during the year 1931

- Jan. 1 Married in Ipswich, Earl Morton Ewing of Ipswich and Katherine Helen Cameron of Weymouth, by Rev. William G. Sewell of Weymouth.
- 1 Married in Cohasset, Howard Wallace Pratt of Cohasset and Ann Florence MacPhee of Weymouth, by Rev. Henry B. Mason of Cohasset.
- 2 Married in Boston, James Eldridge Goodwin and Mary Beatrice Walsh, both of Weymouth, by Rev. William J. Barry of Boston.
- 9 Married in Weymouth, Archibald James Malette and Florence Severy Pratt, both of Weymouth, by Rev. Nathan B. Burton of Weymouth.
- 23 Married in Nashua, N. H., Lief Gardner Larsen and Janet Scott Gowans, both of Weymouth, by Arthur L. Cyr, Justice of the Peace of Nashua, N. H.
- 24 Married in Braintree, Anthony Lawrence Cassese and Blanche (Cowing) Cushman, both of Weymouth, by Rev. J. Caleb Justice of Braintree.
- 24 Married in West Bridgewater, Edward Wales Parker of Weymouth and Harriet E. (Burrell) Bates of West Bridgewater, by Rev. F. Burton Long of West Bridgewater.
- 31 Married in Weymouth, Frederick Stanley Blanchard of Weymouth and Necia Phillips Handy of Rockland, by Rev. Francis A. Poole of Weymouth.
- Feb. 3 Married in Rockland, Howard Haslin Crocker of Weymouth and Esther Olga Karttunen of Hingham, by Rev. Clarence E. Southard of Rockland.
- 8 Married in Weymouth, Robert Alexander Putnam of Weymouth and Ellen Viola Connolly of Quincy, by Clayton B. Merchant, Town Clerk and Justice of the Peace of Weymouth.
- 14 Married in Quincy, Frank Puopolo of Weymouth and Florence Ciardelli of Quincy, by Rev. Michael J. Owens of Quincy.
- 16 Married in Lowell, Frederick Francis Williams of Weymouth and Sonia Amelia Mauritsen of Dracut, by Edward W. Trull, Clerk of the District Court and Justice of the Peace of Lowell.
- 19 Married in Weymouth, Wallace Carleton Winsor of Boston and Georgia Langdon Cushing of Weymouth, by Rev. Nathan B. Burton of Weymouth.

- Feb. 20 Married in Braintree, Leroy Redding MacDonald of Boston and Thelma Elizabeth Sollows of Weymouth, by Rev. William J. Rutledge of Boston.
- 24 Married in Norwich, Conn., Willis P. Putney and Ella V. Odgers of Great Plain, Conn., by Rev. Joseph Cooper of Norwich, Conn.
- 28 Married in Weymouth, Job H. Wells and Esther (Burns) Brown, both of Weymouth, by Clayton B. Merchant, Town Clerk and Justice of the Peace of Weymouth.
- Mar. 7 Married in Gardner, Phillips Hendee Shuffleton of Gardner Hazel Studley Our of Weymouth, by Rev. Alexander Stewart of Gardner.
- 7 Married in Quincy, Archie O'Brien of Weymouth and Frances M. Hennigar of Brockton, by Rev. Howard Key Bartow of Quincy.
- Apr. 2 Married in Brockton, Walter Stevens Higgins of Weymouth and Alice (Rocervich) Caron of Brockton, by Rev. H. Elmer Peters of Brockton.
- 4 Married in Brockton, George Edward MacLean of Rockland and Ruth Elizabeth Cushing of Weymouth, by Albert Sullivan, City Clerk and Justice of the Peace of Brockton.
- 7 Married in Weymouth, Francis Xavier Cosgrove of Quincy and Helen Marie Banks of Weymouth, by Rev. Charles A. O'Brien of Weymouth.
- 8 Married in Weymouth, John Thomas Roche of Braintree and Louise Etta Gallagher of Rockland, by Clayton B. Merchant, Town Clerk and Justice of the Peace of Weymouth.
- 11 Married in Weymouth, John Patrick Coyle and Bertha Eugenia Doble, both of Weymouth, by Rev. Michael J. Derby of Weymouth.
- 15 Married in Abington, William Leonard Doty and Alice Frances (Lewis) Poole, both of Weymouth, by Rev. Luther Weston Atwood of Abington.
- 18 Married in Weymouth, James Francis McCabe of Boston and Catherine Mary Delorey of Weymouth, by Rev. Charles A. O'Brien of Weymouth.
- 18 Married in Weymouth, Ludwig Carl Hoffman and Margaret Helen Boudrot, both of Weymouth, by Clayton B. Merchant, Town Clerk and Justice of the Peace of Weymouth.
- 21 Married in Weymouth, Frank White of Weymouth and Molly Beatrice Stewart of Braintree, by Clayton B. Merchant, Town Clerk and Justice of the Peace of Weymouth.
- 23 Married in Braintree, Robert Elias Hayden of Braintree and Hermie Margery Moorehouse of Weymouth, by Rev. John F. Welsh of Braintree.

- 23 Married in Weymouth, Percy Elliot Frazier of Quincy and Helen Louise Smith of Weymouth, by Rev. John B. Holland of Weymouth.
- May 1 Married in Norwell, Kenneth Arnold Torrey of Norwell and Esther Mildred Ferbert of Weymouth, by Rev. Alfred J. Wilson of Norwell.
- 1 Married in Weymouth, George E. Crawford and Viola May Poole, both of Weymouth, by Rev. Stanley Marple of Weymouth.
- 2 Married in Quincy, Leonard Eudy Parker, Jr. of Weymouth Doris Frances Roberts of Quincy, by Rev. Howard Key Bartow of Quincy.
- 9 Married in Weymouth, James Roccy Demezzo of Weymouth and Gertrude Goulette of Skowhegan, Me., by Clayton B. Merchant, Town Clerk and Justice of the Peace of Weymouth.
- 10 Married in Braintree, Edgar Samuel Tolmie, Jr. of Weymouth and Ann Daiute of Braintree, by Rev. John F. Welsh of Braintree.
- 19 Married in Weymouth, George N. Snow and Alice H. Faulkner, both of Boston, by Clayton B. Merchant, Town Clerk and Justice of the Peace of Weymouth.
19. Married in Weymouth, Harry A. Newcomb and Mary L. Sadowsky, both of Boston, by Clayton B. Merchant, Town Clerk and Justice of the Peace of Weymouth.
- 23 Married in Weymouth, Frank John Serroni of Quincy and Olive Floretta Snow of Weymouth, by Rev. John B. Holland of Weymouth.
- 23 Married in Quincy, John Anders Thurberg of Weymouth, and Frances (Norberg) Larson of Weymouth, by Rev. John Nelson of Quincy.
- 26 Married in Hingham, Archibald Rankin of Weymouth and Mary Gertrude Whelan of Hingham, by Rev. James F. Haney of Hingham.
- 27 Married in Boston, Julian Dorrance Shurtleff of Weymouth and Doris Evangeline Clark of Boston, by Rev. Adelbert L. Hudson of Boston.
- 30 Married in Braintree, William Patrick Brenner Killoh of Weymouth and Beatrice May Charlesworth of Braintree, by Rev. J. Caleb Justice of Braintree.
- June 1 Married in Weymouth, Arthur F. Gray and Anna G. Campbell, both of Weymouth, by Rev. John B. Holland of Weymouth.
- 4 Married in Weymouth, Arthur Frank Cheney of Providence, R. I. and Fanny B. Hollis of Weymouth, by Rev. Newell Aldrich Wood of Groton.

- June 5 Married in Boston, George Alfred Ward of Weymouth and Ida Jean MacIsaac of Boston, by Charles Eliot Worden, Justice of the Peace of Boston.
- 6 Married in Cambridge, William Ambrose Doherty of Weymouth and Julia Amzowski of Cambridge, by Rev. John A. Butler of Cambridge.
- 7 Married in Weymouth, Louis Angelo Arienti of Quincy and Madeline Mary Striano of Weymouth, by Rev. Michael J. Derby of Weymouth.
- 11 Married in Quincy, Edward Foss Curry of Quincy and Evelyn Adelaide Nordell of Weymouth, by Arthur B. Hultman, Justice of the Peace of Quincy.
- 13 Married in Waltham, Adolph Sigfrid Danielson of Weymouth and Addie Estelle Perry of Waltham, by Rev. Francis E. Webster of Boston.
- 13 Married in Braintree, Louie Earlwin Pratt and Grace Estelle Price, both of Weymouth, by Rev. J. Caleb of Braintree.
- 13 Married in Providence, R. I., Edwin Arthur Egerton of Weymouth and Winifred Hettie Gullage of Chicopee, by Rev. Arthur B. Mercer of Providence, R. I.
- 14 Married in Weymouth, William John Marland of Quincy and Elsa Karin Wilhelmina Becklin of Weymouth, by Rev. Frank T. Littorin of Quincy.
- 17 Married in Scituate, Richard Halloran of Weymouth and Annie Ward McGilvary of Quincy, by Rev. Patrick J. Buckley of Scituate.
- 17 Married in Quincy, Herman Andrew Kobel of Weymouth and Anna Ottilla Eckblom of Quincy, by Rev. Edgar H. Malmstrom of Quincy.
- 18 Married in Weymouth, Joseph Philip Spallino and Antoinette Marion Cicchese, both of Weymouth, by Rev. Michael J. Derby of Weymouth.
- 20 Married in Weymouth, Archie Stuart Hawley and Marie Rollande Beauregard, both of Weymouth, by Rev. John Joseph McShea of Weymouth.
- 20 Married in Weymouth, Edward Laurence Goose of Somerville and Ruth Miriam Johnson of Weymouth, by Rev. Robert M. Pierce of Worcester.
- 20 Married in Rockland, Archie McPhail of Weymouth and Madeline Louise Hichey of Rockland, by Rev. Patrick L. Crayton, S. T. L. of Rockland.
- 20 Married in Braintree, Russell Thomas Knox and Edith Helen (McQuestion) Greene, both of Weymouth, by Rev. J. Caleb Justice of Braintree.

- 24 Married in Quincy, William Clyde McCarthy and Ada Rosetter, both of Weymouth, by Rev. William G. Sewell of Weymouth.
- 26 Married in Abington, William Herbert Loud and Dorothy Evelyn Kibby, both of Weymouth, by Rev. Luther Weston Atwood of Abington.
- 27 Married in Weymouth, Alfred Harvester of Quincy and Helen Catherine Donnelly of Weymouth, by Rev. John J. Connolly of Weymouth.
- 27 Married in Weymouth, Walter Henry Briggs of Weymouth and Mabel Arnold Guilhop of Quincy, by Rev. Francis A. Poole of Weymouth.
- 27 Married in Weymouth, Sumner Hartley Peers and Orilla Alexander Abbott, both of Weymouth, by Rev. Nathan B. Burton of Weymouth.
- 27 Married in Weymouth, Frank Cary Berry of Cambridge and Louise Leonard Gay of Weymouth, by Rev. Luther Weston Atwood of Abington.
- 28 Married in Weymouth, James Edward Martin of Brockton and Katherine Mahoney of Weymouth, by Rev. Edward C. Mitchell of Weymouth.
- 28 Married in Weymouth, John Francis Gould and Anna Veronica McGinn, both of Hull, by Clayton B. Merchant, Town Clerk and Justice of the Peace of Weymouth.
- July 3 Married in Weymouth, Herbert Joseph Sullivan of Weymouth and Helen Mae Steele of Hingham, by Rev. Michael J. Derby of Weymouth.
- 3 Married in Weymouth, James Thomas Hannabury and Luella Emily Barnes, both of Weymouth, by Rev. John B. Holland of Weymouth.
- 4 Married in Weymouth, Peter Arthur Cormier of Quincy and Alice Jane Petipas of Weymouth, by Rev. Michael J. Derby of Weymouth.
- 4 Married in Weymouth, William Frederick Sylvester, Jr. and Irene Elizabeth Cook, both of Weymouth, by Rev. William W. Wakeman of Weymouth.
- 4 Married in Falmouth, Silas Damon Rousseau and Ruth Nelson Corthell, both of Weymouth, by Rev. Charles W. Mock of Falmouth.
- 6 Married in Weymouth, Amos John Ernst and Elizabeth (Ruxton) McKenzie, both of Weymouth, by Rev. William G. Sewell of Weymouth.
- 9 Married in Weymouth, Elmer Henry Forst of Braintree and Mabel Bell McLean of Weymouth, by Rev. Stanley Marple of Weymouth.

- 10 Married in Quincy, George H. Livingstone of Weymouth and Susan Calder of Boston, by Rev. William Nicholl of Quincy.
 - 11 Married in Weymouth, Andrew Thomas Whaley of Wakefield, R. I. and Helen Frances Watson of Weymouth, by Rev. Edward C. Mitchell of Weymouth.
 - 22 Married in Quincy, Joseph Gerard Kennedy of Weymouth and Elizabeth Mitchell of Quincy, by Rev. Michael J. Owens of Quincy.
 - 25 Married in Boston, Fred Alton Cushman and Julia Florence Loring, both of Weymouth, by Rev. Earl S. Scott of Boston.
 - 25 Married in Quincy, George Porter Beck of Hingham and Evelyn Anna Henningsen of Weymouth, by Emery L. Crane, City Clerk and Justice of the Peace of Quincy.
 - 25 Married in Weymouth, Albert Joseph Costa of Weymouth and Florence Mary Boudreau of Braintree, by Rev. John B. Holland of Weymouth.
 - 26 Married in Weymouth, Henry Irving DeRusha and Winifred Agnes Burke, both of Weymouth, by Rev. John B. Holland of Weymouth.
 - 28 Married in Weymouth, James Carlton White and Anna Catherine Norton, both of Weymouth, by Rev. Walter T. McCracken of Weymouth.
- Aug. 1 Married in Weymouth, Lawrence Joseph Flynn and Katherine Elizabeth McIlroy, both of Weymouth, by Rev. Walter T. McCracken of Weymouth.
- 2 Married in Weymouth, Louis Edward Gaudreau of Freeport, L. I. and Mabelle Elizabeth Dowd of Weymouth, by Rev. Walter T. McCracken of Weymouth,
 - 2 Married in Weymouth, Harold Clifford Farrand of Somerville and Gladys Viola Keller of Weymouth, by Rev. Nathan B. Burton of Weymouth.
 - 7 Married in Weymouth, Dwight Torrey Burns and Emma Wyman Hixon, both of Abington, by Rev. J. Caleb Justice of Braintree.
 - 8 Married in Quincy, Ulric Damina Coderre of Boston and Lillian Adena (Hanson) Edson of Weymouth, by Arthur B. Hultman, Justice of the Peace of Quincy.
 - 8 Married in Quincy, Harry Earl Leach of Weymouth and Helene Francis Dumont of Quincy, by Rev. Clarence H. Frank of Quincy.
 - 8 Married in Weymouth, Hiram DeWolfe Cleveland of Plymouth and Nellie I. (Shaw) Newcomb of Weymouth, by Rev. Alfred J. Cardall of Weymouth.

- 11 Married in Braintree, John Henderson of Rockland and Mary Lillian Davis of Weymouth, by Rev. Benjamin F. White, D.D. of Braintree.
- 11 Married in Woonsocket, R. I., Louis Emil Werner of Weymouth and Eleanor Ruth Siddons of Athol, by Rev. William W. Barker of Woonsocket, R. I.
- 15 Married in Weymouth, George LeVarn and Anne Lydia Mark, both of Weymouth, by Rev. Nathan B. Burton of Weymouth.
- 15 Married in Weymouth, Charles Victor Stewart Wier and Virginia Pearle Alley, both of Weymouth, by Rev. Nathan W. Wood of Weymouth.
- 22 Married in Weymouth, Lewis Webster Farrar of Somerville and Eleanor Charlotte Boynton of Weymouth, by Rev. George Albert Lawson of Cincinnati, Ohio.
- 22 Married in Scituate, George S. Vinton of Scituate and Ruth H. Blanchard of Weymouth, by Rev. Warren H. Mitchell of Scituate.
- 23 Married in Weymouth, Anthony Joseph Propati of Bronx, N. Y. and Clara Rubolino of Weymouth, by Rev. Edward C. Mitchell of Weymouth.
- 29 Married in Whitman, Everett William Griffin and Louise Ardenia Carson, both of Weymouth, by Rev. Harold S. Capron of Whitman.
29. Married in Weymouth, Royal Alexander Mabee of Abington and Verna Gertrude Thomas of Weymouth, by Rev. Alfred J. Cardall of Weymouth.
- 29 Married in Boston, Arnold Bradley Bailey and Dorothy Sophia Gaffney, both of Weymouth, by Rev. C. Warren Newman of Boston.
- 30 Married in Weymouth, Joseph Eugene Mazzaro of Brooklyn, N. Y. and Raffaele Theresa Oliva of Weymouth, by Rev. Charles A. O'Brien of Weymouth.
- 31 Married in Weymouth, Leo James Slack of Boston and Ann Marie Denly of Weymouth, by Rev. Michael J. Derby of Weymouth.
- Sept. 2 Married in Hull, David W. McMorrow of Weymouth and Mary Loretta Donahue of Hull, by Rev. Eric F. MacKenzie of Hull.
- 5 Married in Stoneham, Harris Ewing Bowmar of Weymouth and Marjorie Young of Stoneham, by Rev. John H. Miller of Stoneham.
- 5 Married in Natick, Harry Franklyn Roghaar of Weymouth and Vernie Edna Wright of Natick, by Rev. Alfred W. Birks of Natick.

- Sept. 7 Married in Gardner, Leo Heldege Dauphinais of Weymouth and Loretta Mary Fountain of Gardner, by Rev. A. Henry Powers of Gardner.
- 7 Married in Weymouth, Charles Augustus DeCoste of Boston and Catherine Donohue Rouney of Weymouth, by Rev. Edward C. Mitchell of Weymouth.
- 7 Married in Weymouth, George Edward O'Connell of Somerville and Anna Ellen Riley of Weymouth, by Rev. Charles A. O'Brien of Weymouth.
- 8 Married in Braintree, George Arthur Davis of Weymouth and Jennie Ethel Brown of Weymouth, by Rev. J. Caleb Justice of Braintree.
- 9 Married in Weymouth, David Otis Fuller of Atlantic City, N. J. and Virginia Chapin Emery of Weymouth, by Rev. J. Oliver Buswell of Wheaton, Ill.
- 12 Married in Henniker, N. H., Edwin Parker Pillsbury of Weymouth and Mildred S. Mitchell of Henniker, N. H., by Rev. John Russell Henderson of Henniker, N. H.
- 13 Married in Boston, Romeo Pasquale Salemme of Weymouth and Mary Agnes Haverty of Boston, by Rev. James P. Dowling of Boston.
- 16 Married in Weymouth, Albert Russell Worthley of Weymouth and Charlotte Jane Nickerson of Somerville, by Rev. William P. Shaughnessey of Weymouth.
- 19 Married in Quincy, John Braidwood McCulloch of Quincy and Marietta Tallman of Weymouth, by Rev. Howard Key Bartow of Quincy.
- 20 Married in Quincy, Antonio Russo of Weymouth and Carolyn Cardarelli of Quincy, by Rev. Michael J. Owens of Quincy.
- 20 Married in Weymouth, William Francis Bennett of Quincy and Mary Elizabeth Kiernan of Weymouth, by Rev. Edward C. Mitchell of Weymouth.
- 28 Married in Weymouth, Edward Harold Benjaminsen of Boston and Clarice Morton Dennison of Weymouth, by Rev. William G. Sewell of Weymouth.
- Oct. 3 Married in Weymouth, Robert Hyslop McWhirter and Agnes Campbell, both of Weymouth, by Rev. William G. Sewell of Weymouth.
- 3 Married in Weymouth, Henry Leslie Knowles and Sarah Jane Reinnie Winters, both of Weymouth, by Rev. William G. Sewell of Weymouth.
- 7 Married in Weymouth, William Symons and Mildred Edith (Drohen) Slack, both of Weymouth, by Clayton B. Merchant, Town Clerk and Justice of the Peace of Weymouth.

- 10 Married in Boston, Jeremiah Thomas Dwyer of Weymouth and Ethel Helen Jordan of Boston, by Rev. Peter J. Conlon of Boston.
- 10 Married in Watertown, Wilbur Milton Silvester of Weymouth and Agnes Reid MacBrayne of Watertown, by Rev. Edward C. Camps of Watertown.
- 10 Married in Boston, Arthur Valicenti of Weymouth and Edna Mae Tuttle of Hingham, by Rev. William E. Gardner of Boston.
- 11 Married in Avon, Charles William O'Connor of Weymouth and Mary Genevieve Doherty of Weymouth, by Rev. James J. McMorrow of Avon.
- 11 Married in Weymouth, William Henry Flynn of Weymouth and Verna Celestine Lovette of Lima, Ohio, by Rev. Walter T. McCracken of Weymouth.
- 11 Married in Cambridge, Archibald McCullagh of Weymouth and Theresa May (Cummings) Greene of Cambridge, by Rev. Stephen F. Moran of Cambridge.
- 12 Married in Weymouth, George Zeiba and Marion Allerton Nash, both of Weymouth, by Rev. Edward P. Murphy of Weymouth.
- 12' Married in Boston, Thomas Francis Ash of Weymouth and Catherine Selina Shepeck of Boston, by Rev. George A. Scully of Boston.
- 17 Married in Quincy, Arthur Franklin Barcelo of Braintree and Frances Isabelle Holt of Weymouth, by Rev. Eric I. Lindh of Quincy.
- 19 Married in Weymouth, John William Nash of Hingham and Marjorie Frances Linscott of Weymouth, by Rev. Edward P. Murphy of Weymouth.
- 19 Married in Weymouth, John Joseph Graham of Hingham and Mary M. DiLorenzo of Weymouth, by Rev. Edward P. Murphy of Weymouth.
- 20 Married in Hingham, Joseph A. Trudell of Weymouth and Lillian (Maguire) Hennelly of Hingham, by Rev. James T. Haney of Hingham.
- 22 Married in Weymouth, Antonio Onofrio Giovanni Cicchese and Anna Rita Spallino, both of Weymouth, by Rev. Edward P. Murphy of Weymouth.
- 22 Married in Brookline, Paul Duncan McManus of Brookline and Dorothy Carter Shaw of Weymouth, by Fred B. Richardson, Town Clerk and Justice of the Peace of Brookline.
- 27 Married in Weymouth, Robeson Kinnersley Swift of Weymouth and Frances Winnifred (Hiltz) Wilband of Boston, by Rev. Winfield S. Randall of Weymouth.

- Oct. 27 Married in Weymouth, Joseph Alphonse Legere of Boston and Evelyn Marie Dowd of Weymouth, by Rev. John B. Holland of Weymouth.
- Nov. 2 Married in Providence, R. I., George Frederick Gardner of Braintree and Margaret Armstrong Arbuckle of Weymouth, by Rev. W. Earl Ledden of Providence, R. I.
- 8 Married in Boston, James Alexander Burke of Weymouth and Margaret Grace Collins of Boston, by Rev. William J. Casey of Boston.
- 10 Married in Brockton, John Joseph O'Donnell of Weymouth and Celia Elizabeth Sheehan of Brockton, by Rev. William J. Fennessey of Brockton.
- 14 Married in Boston, William Edward Keefe of Weymouth and Robena Guthro of Boston, by Rev Charles N. Cunningham of Boston.
- 15 Married in Braintree, Sinclair Bowman of Weymouth and Nettie Rosanna Vinton of Braintree, by Rev. Carleton S. Feeney of Braintree.
- 17 Married in Weymouth, Dean Stearns Cushing, Jr. of Quincy and Dorothy Lillian Christie of Weymouth, by Rev. William B. Ayers of Quincy.
- 18 Married in Carver, Kenneth Warren Burgess of Plymouth and Alice Jeannette Adams of Weymouth, by Rev. Howard Key Bartow of Quincy.
- 19 Married in Weymouth, Hugh Frazier McKenzie and Margaret Mary (Sullivan) Nickerson, both of Weymouth, by Clayton B. Merchant, Town Clerk and Justice of the Peace of Weymouth.
- 25 Married in Rockland, Louis Carlton Gilbride of Rockland and Ethel Margaret Yourell of Weymouth, by Rev. George M. Dowd of Rockland.
- 25 Married in Weymouth, George Henry Faustini of Braintree and Bertha Mary Louise Gannon of Weymouth, by Rev. Walter T. McCracken of Weymouth.
- 26 Married in Cohasset, Leo Cameron MacDonald of Weymouth and Julia Frances Poland of Cohasset, by Rev. Joseph P. Lawless of Cohasset.
- 27 Married in Weymouth, James Briggs West of Pembroke and Barbara Hunter Cole of Weymouth, by Rev. Francis A. Poole of Weymouth.
- 27 Married in Weymouth, Ellwood Merwyn Gerrold and Bertha (Carnathan) Addley, both of Weymouth, by Rev. Nathan W. Wood of Weymouth.
- 28 Married in Boston, Edward Paul Laracy of Boston and Edna Mae Ross of Weymouth, by Rev. Herbert K. A. Driscoll of Boston.

- Dec. 5 Married in Newton, Paul Albert Newsome of Weymouth and Ruth Adeline Taplin of Newton Center, by Rev. Stanley Marple of Weymouth.
- 6 Married in Weymouth, William Wallace of Quincy and Ruth Margaret Handley of Farnum, P. Q. by Rev. Carlton Easton of Quincy.
- 10 Married in Weymouth, Stanford Nathan Seneca and Alice (Houghton) Adams, both of Hingham, by Clayton B. Merchant, Town Clerk and Justice of the Peace of Weymouth.
- 10 Married in Weymouth, Joseph Andrew Mischler and Lola Rachel (Andrews) Andrews, both of Weymouth, by Clayton B. Merchant, Town Clerk and Justice of the Peace of Weymouth.
- 12 Married in Weymouth, Aldo Di Bona of Quincy and Elvira Malerbo of Weymouth, by Rev. Edward P. Murphy of Weymouth.
- 18 Married in Providence, R. I., Albin Preston Francis Gurney of Quincy and Sarah Almira Marr of Weymouth, by Hugh B. Baker, Justice of the Superior Court of Providence, R. I.
- 29 Married in Quincy, Walter Edward Steele of Quincy and Sarah Douglas of Weymouth, by Rev. Howard Key Bartow of Quincy.
- 31 Married in Weymouth, Norman Goodhue of Braintree and Mary Ellen McAuley of Quincy, by Clayton B. Merchant, Town Clerk and Justice of the Peace of Weymouth.
- 31 Married in Hanson, Charles Everett Paine of Hanson and Annie Prudence Jenness of Weymouth, by Rev. Warren A. Leonard of Hanson.
- 31 Married in Hanover, Walter Mayo Smith and Doris Craddock Norcross, both of Weymouth, by Rev. William Barclay of Hanover.
- 31 Married in Weymouth, Edward Florence Joseph Halligan of Weymouth and Mildred McMahan of Braintree, by Rev. Walter T. McCracken of Weymouth.
- 31 Married in Weymouth, Frank Louis Zeoli and Florence Luciano, both of Weymouth, by Rev. Edward P. Murphy of Weymouth.

DEATHS RECORDED IN THE TOWN OF WEYMOUTH FOR THE YEAR 1931

Date	Name	Y	M	D	Birthplace	Parents
Jan. 1	Annie (Delaney) Hartry	68	—	—	Newfoundland	Mark & Mary (Nolan) Delaney
2	Jane (MacDonald) Renne	69	4	16	Scotland	Murdock & Henrietta (Matheson) MacDonald
4	Francis A. Bicknell	86	2	6	Weymouth	Harrison & Jane (Blanchard) Bicknell
4	Rita Pecoraro	—	—	4	Weymouth	Thomas & Christina (Dessendo) Pecoraro
5	Helen Webb	1	9	—	Weymouth	John & Verd (Swanson) Webb
7	George Fritchman	74	11	25	Bethlehem, Pa.	Jesse & (-----) Fritchman
7	Lillian F. (Williams) Rice	44	—	—	Norfolk, Va.	Jacob & Emma (Clements) Williams
10	Catherine S. Egan	52	—	8	Weymouth	Martin & Bridget (McGuire) Egan
12	Madeline V. Wright	2	2	29	Weymouth	Russell H. & Louise M. (Grant) Wright
13	Benjamin F. Eldridge	71	7	16	Boston	John C. & Mary (Fallensbee) Eldridge
13	Jennie C. (Fish) Boyce	65	9	20	P. E. I.	Philip & Mary (Strang) Fish
14	Laura (Patterson) Simmons	56	1	24	Nova Scotia	Charles E. & Ida M. (Gardner) Patterson
15	Margaret A. Ward	76	—	—	Braintree	James G. & Mary (Power) Ward
17	Mary E. (Moylan) Peterson	73	—	—	Boston	Patrick & Catherine (Dolan) Moylan
21	Eunice A. (Davis) Staples	79	11	24	Weymouth	Jesse L. & Annie (Hill) Davis
21	Francis Goodrow	6	8	20	Cambridge	Joseph & Margaret (Gunning) Goodrow
24	George F. Alger	58	8	22	Lee	Edmond & Catherine (Killaway) Alger
25	(Stillborn female)	—	—	—	Weymouth	
27	Richard D. Merritt	—	—	—	Scituate	Carlton F. & Ada H. (Otis) Merritt
27	Annie G. Loud	74	3	20	Weymouth	Francis E. & Mart T. (Capen) Loud
29	Elizabeth E. (Dyer) Farmer	92	—	24	Weymouth	Daniel & Sophia (Pratt) Dyer
30	Elizabeth Monroe	13	3	10	Braintree	George W. & Laura S. (Sherman) Monroe
Feb. 1	Harriet B. (Poole) Mitchell	76	9	2	Rockland	Lodo & Mary J. (Joselyn) Poole
1	John Stitt	65	11	28	England	John & Elizabeth (McGlation) Stitt
2	Margaret Goodrow	9	9	24	Weymouth	Joseph & Margaret (Gunning) Goodrow
3	Bridget (Cotter) Shields	79	10	22	Ireland	James & Alice (Hickey) Cotter
4	Helen I. Allen	77	2	—	Boston	Frank & Abigail (Tower) Allen
6	Elliot H. Wood	73	3	16	Middleboro	Samuel N. & Evylia (Warren) Wood
6	James W. Snow	83	4	7	Palmer	Can not be learned
6	Frank Beverley	78	10	12	Rockland	James B. & Caroline (Sturtevant) Beverley

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Mar. 20	James Counihan	51	2	7	Ireland	Patrick & Mary (Shea) Counihan
25	Julia A. Nelligan	71	10	14	Weymouth	John & Mary (Sullivan) Nelligan
26	Martha A. (Murphy) Kearns	49	11	21	Weymouth	William & Bridget (Shields) Murphy
26	Marie (-----) Rivers	46	—	1	Sweden	Can not be learned
27	Augustus Dennison	66	—	14	Neponset	George G. & Charlotte A. (Robinson) Dennison
29	Henry A. Tirrell	92	5	8	Weymouth	Henry R. & Elizabeth (Dizer) Tirrell
30	John E. MacPhee	34	9	28	Boston	Michael & Christina (MacInnis) MacPhee
31	(Stillborn Male)	—	—	—	Weymouth,	
Apr. 1	Catherine Naphen	66	—	—	Grafton	Peter & Bridget (Cosgrove) Naphen
2	Stephen A. Pratt	58	—	1	Weymouth	Stephen A. R. & Ann (Orcutt) Pratt
3	(Stillborn Female)	—	—	—	Weymouth	
5	Patrick Donnellon	57	—	—	Ireland	Simon & (-----) Donnellon
5	John R. Edmonds	28	3	15	Canada	John & Margaret (Ahearn) Edmonds
6	Helen E. (Levangie) O'Connor	52	—	—	Nova Scotia	Hubert & Elizabeth (DeCoste) Levangie
6	John W. Vinson	86	7	10	Weymouth	Freeman & (-----) Vinson
7	Godfried A. Rondeau	65	6	26	Canada	Henry & (-----) Rondeau
7	Levi H. Cook	74	11	21	Orleans	Freeman & Hannah K. (Baker) Cook
8	Lillian (Kuokkanen) Soini	60	10	2	Finland	David & Emily (Holpainen) Kuokkanen
8	George C. Costello	46	—	—	Quincy	John F. & Mary (Driscoll) Costello
9	Austin L. Fisher	38	9	10	Allentown, Pa.	William A. & Alda (Downey) Fisher
10	George Moore	—	4	—	Boston	George & Edith (-----) Moore
11	Samuel Scholes	47	5	24	England	William & Alice (-----) Scholes
12	David P. Connell	72	—	—	Braintree	David & Ellen (Curtin) Connell
15	Elizabeth (Hopkins) Greenwood	84	—	—	Ireland	Thomas & (-----) Hopkins
16	Henry S. Godfrey	57	2	14	Philadelphia, Pa.	Lincoln & Mary (Simpson) Godfrey
17	Adolphus P. Poole (adopted)	79	9	27	Weymouth	Alvah & Abigail (White) Raymond
18	(Stillborn Female)	—	—	—	Weymouth	
21	Frank E. Baker	79	7	22	Marshfield	Hosea T. & Sarah (Sampson) Baker
22	Eva V. E. Sears	74	—	5	New Bedford	Lorenzo D. J. & Eleanor B. (Peckham) Sears
23	Annie M. (Cronin) Mulcahy	66	—	—	Weymouth	Michael & Hannah (Kiley) Cronin
23	Martha E. Belcher	73	6	25	Weymouth	Lorenzo L. & Caroline G. (Graves) Belcher
23	Nellie F. (Hallisey) Wendell	60	—	—	Ireland	John & Nora (Barry) Hallisey

24	Betsy J. (Phillips) Wright	79	—	—	Quincy	Lemuel & Betsy (Judkins) Phillips
27	Elizabeth F. (Hinkley) Nickerson	82	6	—	Barnstable	William & Adelaide (Bears) Hinkley
27	(Stillborn Male)	—	—	—	Weymouth	
28	(Stillborn Male)	—	—	—	Weymouth	
28	(Stillborn Male)	—	—	—	Weymouth	
29	John H. Maker	29	—	—	Camden, Me.	J. Frank & Emily (Prescott) Maker
29	Margaret P. Collyer	83	2	19	Hingham	William C. & Hannah S. (Lincoln) Collyer
30	Caroline E. Stubenrauch	76	—	—	Germany	Jacob F. & Katherine (Beck) Stubenrauch
May	4 Mary C. (Sheehan) Gagnon	54	—	—	Ireland	Patrick & Ellen (Mannis) Sheehan
4	Nellie A. Kenney	70	—	—	Weymouth	Patrick & Mary (Reed) Kenney
7	Gladys H. (Foster) Goodwin	37	—	15	Duxbury	Carroll C. & Myra E. (Standish) Foster
9	Frank W. Castine	67	10	5	Nova Scotia	Frank & Margaret (Frontin) Castine
12	(Stillborn Male)	—	—	—	Weymouth	
12	Michael Galvin	86	1	12	Ireland	William & Margaret (Kelliher) Galvin
13	William H. Fowler	49	—	20	Malden	Charles C. & Annie L. (Reynolds) Fowler
14	Rufus S. Turpel	83	11	29	Halifax, N. S.	Stephen & Harriet (Bell) Turpel
16	Jeremiah Spencer	89	7	6	England	John & Mary (Harris) Spencer
18	Julius Kazalously	38	—	—	Lithuania	Can not be learned
21	Lillian G. (Marshall) Swift	62	—	—	Belfast, Me.	William E. & Emma J. (Elwell) Marshall
21	David Dunbar	92	4	19	Weymouth	Warren & Emeline (Pratt) Dunbar
22	Alphonzo Pecoraro	69	9	21	Italy	Thomas & Marie (Gatto) Pecoraro
24	Nellie H. (Tirrell) MacFaun	65	2	26	Weymouth	Clinton & Ellen (Richards) Tirrell
27	John C. Fraser	77	9	—	Antigonish, N. S.	William & Mary (Chisholm) Fraser
29	Melvina J. (Bates) Clapp	70	4	9	Weymouth	John F. & Helen R. (Tirrell) Bates
June 1	Albert H. Hunt	67	11	21	Weymouth	Francis & Lydia (Joy) Hunt
2	Emma J. (Fowler) Dixon	75	—	—	England	Thomas & Elizabeth (Messenger) Fowler
5	Ella D. (Weatherhead) Brennan	42	3	25	Westport, Ont.	William & Anna (Coburn) Weatherhead
5	Fredericka (Mulberry) Peterson	70	3	20	Sweden	Andrew & (-----) Mulberry
6	Charles F. Perkins	69	4	23	Boston	Ebenezer & Lydia A. (Durgin) Perkins
7	Adoniram J. Sidelinger	84	5	24	Nobleboro, Me.	William & Jane O. (Hall) Sidelinger
9	Ellen Kearney	75	2	27	Weymouth	Michael & Margaret (Flynn) Kearney
9	Hannah L. White	63	5	—	Boston	George S. & Maria (Harbell) White
11	Joseph H. DeCoste	52	—	—	Nova Scotia	George S. & Maria (Frazier) DeCoste

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June 13	Charles S. Gerald	72	8	19	Quincy	----- & Nancy A. (Holbrook) Gerald
15	Susan J. (Jones) Marden	90	3	12	Auburn, Me.	Aaron & Jane (Dunham) Jones
15	Rose A. (Lonergan) Fraher	70	3	11	Weymouth	Thomas & Margaret (Liley) Lonergan
15	Francis Hutchinson	91	—	—	Maine	Edmund & Sarah (Young) Hutchinson
16	James W. Kelley	62	5	24	Canada	John & Emma (Winock) Kelley
20	Stillborn Female)	—	—	—	Weymouth	
21	Charles F. York	56	6	20	Richmond, Me.	Charles F. & Marietta (Lufkin) York
22	(Stillborn Male)	—	—	—	Weymouth	
24	Mary E. Riley	81	3	19	Boston	Can not be learned
25	Stephen B. Sabens	91	5	13	Westport	Philander & Eliza R. (Grinnell) Sabens
27	Birgette (Christofersen) Anderson	91	6	9	Norway	Can not be learned
29	Walter Goldsworthy	16	—	29	Hingham	Albert & Agnes E. Chambers) Goldsworthy
30	Louie H. (Foss) Pitman	56	9	6	Boston	Charles F. & (-----) Foss
July 3	Frank H. Torrey	77	5	9	Weymouth	Alexis & Lecena (Yeaton) Torrey
4	Jessie L. (Townsend) Wichert	45	10	22	Hingham	Matthew & Cora (Sprague) Townsend
5	Dana E. Smith	69	11	20	Weymouth	Dana & Rachel (Cowing) Smith
8	Carmella (DeLucca) Guiducci	80	—	—	Italy	Joseph & Josephine (Farcouth) Guiducci
9	Mary E. (Hawkins) Smith	68	10	3	Boston	John & Mary E. (Hopkins) Hawkins
11	Lillian M. (Baker) Greene	53	—	—	Conn.	Erastus & Sarah M. (Marsh) Baker
14	George D. Henry	79	4	—	P. E. I.	Can not be learned
14	Carrie A. (Manuel) Williams	67	4	28	Weymouth	Quincy A. & Louise (Arnold) Manuel
14	Doris E. Monks	16	10	17	Quincy	George S. & Inez (Calloway) Monks
14	James W. Coyle	35	6	24	New York, N. Y.	N. Y. Patrick & Catherine (McCann) Coyle
15	Edwin A. Brown	38	5	2	Batavia, N. Y.	Alman E. & Elizabeth (Harris) Brown
15	Lucy M. (Gay) Thomas	60	—	—	Weymouth	Bradford W. & Luch A. (Livingstone) Gay
17	Isabelle W. (Lyons) Swain	67	—	—	Ireland	John & Isabelle (Usher) Lyons
17	Henrietta (Snow) Mitchell	74	1	11	Sharon	Samuel & ----- (Deane) Snow
17	Edward E. Pratt	66	—	12	Weymouth	Josiah M. & Sarah M. (Nash) Pratt
14	Leo G. Bryant	38	10	—	Charlestown	George L. & Winifred E. (Quint) Bryant
20	Lillian (Avery) Webber	67	5	2	Lubec, Me.	George H. & Eunice (Schofield) Avery
21	John W. H. Jones	38	6	9	Cambridge	John W. & Emma A. (Butler) Jones
21	William R. Olliff	29	2	—	Mansfield	John T. & Clara (Ross) Olliff

21	Sarah E. (Walton)	McDonough	82	4	—	Little River, Can.	William & Deberough (O'Dell)	Walton
21	John B. Olden		63	—	—	Ireland	Andrew W. & Mary (Roberts)	Olden
22	James Graham		79	—	—	Boston	Can not be learned	
23	Sarah (Mellison)	Galliher	53	6	26	Pittsfield	Dwight & Sarah (Hazzard)	Mellison
24	Frank H. Grover		67	9	11	Weymouth	Calvin & Lydia A. (Young)	Grover
24	Sarah L. (Tirrell)	Cushing	74	2	1	Braintree	Joseph & Sarah (Clapp)	Tirrell
25	Frank F. Shaw		73	5	17	Weymouth	Francis M. & Nancy M. (Gay)	Shaw
26	Hannah (Crombie)	Lees	92	3	26	Manchester	John & Hannah (Hills)	Crombie
26	Richard Roche		85	—	—	Ireland	William & (-----) Roche	
27	Mary Carchidi		6	—	—	Brockton	Joseph & Mary (Castaeno)	Carchidi
27	Harrison L. Ferbert		—	2	20	Weymouth	John B. & Ethel M. (Loud)	Ferbert
29	Adele F. Williams		4	11	29	Weymouth	Ellia L. & Lillian G. (Ward)	Williams
Aug 2	Catherine A. Mitchell		57	—	—	Weymouth	Robert & Margaret (Smith)	Mitchell
3	Sylvia (Lambini)	Duncan	32	5	22	Boston	Albert & Mary A. (Guinassa)	Lambini
7	Adelaide A. Baxter		76	7	25	Nova Scotia	William & Ann (Ross)	Baxter
7	George Messick		20	6	26	Boston	----- & Bertha (Richards)	Messick
8	William C. Peterson		26	—	—	Somerville	Edward T. & Beatrice (Charles)	Peterson
9	Sarah J. (Coburn)	McAvoy	84	—	—	Ireland	William & (-----) Coburn	
9	Johanna (Scollard)	Driscoll	68	—	—	Ireland	Michael & Elizabeth (Hartlett)	Scollard
9	Jenieve E. Newcomb		10	hours	—	Weymouth	Arthur W. & Margaret (Thornton)	Newcomb
10	Silas A. Perkins		60	6	5	Boston	Almon & Hannah J. (Hatch)	Perkins
11	Lucy M. (French)	Otis	65	11	1	Weymouth	Thomas M. & Caroline (Nash)	French
12	Frank Lopilato		74	—	—	Italy	Can not be learned	
12	Annie J. (McGrath)	Short	30	1	28	Kingston	Michael H. & Flora (Gillis)	McGrath
12	Alvina (Ahern)	Kennedy	67	—	—	New Castle, N. B.	James & (-----) Ahern	
13	Ann J. (Rafferty)	Cullinane	52	—	18	Boston	Richard & Mary A. (Gilligan)	Cullinane
13	Evelyn E. (Howes)	Hanington	26	3	3	Brockton	Horace B. & Lottie M. (Ripley)	Howes
15	Margaret L. (Connell)	Byrne	79	4	—	Scotland	John & Margaret (Laudervale)	Connell
17	Margaret J. (Clarke)	Proctor	84	9	24	Annapolis, N.	James & Margaret (Sadla)	Clarke
18	James T. Brown		18	9	19	Braintree	William R. & Nora (Elliott)	Brown
18	Lynwood R. Brown		20	3	19	Braintree	William R. & Nora (Elliott)	Brown
23	Edwin S. Beckford		87	8	3	Durham, N. H.	Dudley P. & Elizabeth A. (Page)	Beckford
24	Hazel E. (Thompson)	Belcher	36	—	12	Weymouth	John H. & Martha J. (Cartland)	Thompson

Date	Name	Y	M	D	Birthplace	Parents
Aug.	25 Edward H. Newcomb	35	—	—	Boston	Edward & Helen (Linehan) Newcomb
	27 Mary E. (Corrigan) Chalke	63	7	29	Brewster	John & Bridget (Costello) Corrigan
Sept	3 Catherine A. (Post) Volk	77	—	—	Boston	Bernard & Barbara (Untersteller) Post
	4 Thomas Burgoyne	92	7	8	Bridgewater	James & Julia (Dugan) Burgoyne
	5 Eugene Bonney	82	2	23	Walpole	Charles & Susan (Whitney) Bonney
	5 Leo Fisher	—	—	3	Quincy	James & Marie (Craisman) Fisher
	8 William E. Curtin	65	—	—	Weymouth	James & Mary A. (Canary) Curtin
	8 Susan Riley	75	—	—	Weymouth	John & Ellen (Connors) Riley
	9 Nina Vicini	17	—	—	Weymouth	Lelio & Elva (Santacroce) Vicini
	11 Bernard McDermott	68	—	—	Boston	Patrick & Bridget (Norton) McDermott
	14 Drusilla F. (Litchfield) Davis	59	10	—	Cohasset	William H. & Alice C. (Litchfield) Litchfield
	14 George E. Custance	—	—	22	Weymouth	George E. & Margaret (Rood) Custance
	16 Ellen M. (Hawes) French	75	11	13	Weymouth	James & Adelia A. (Spoonner) Hawes
	19 Ella J. (Harlow) Reed	84	8	14	Scituate	James & Betsy J. (Clark) Harlow
	19 David J. Levangie	60	—	—	Nova Scotia	Joseph & Sarah (White) Levangie
	21 Alice J. (Ramsdell) Crooper	57	10	12	York, Me.	Timothy & Angeline (Blake) Ramsdell
	21 Thomas Kilfoye	83	2	15	Weymouth	Michael & (-----) Kilfoye
	22 Mary A. (Andrew) Craig	58	2	7	Ashland, N. H.	John & Ann A. (Rollins) Andrew
	22 (Stillborn Female)	—	—	—	Weymouth	
	24 Matthew R. Loud	65	11	1	Weymouth	Reuben & Mary G. (Rogers) Loud
	24 Fannie H. (Barrows) Raymond	73	7	16	Plymouth	Simon & Priscilla (Burbank) Barrows
	26 Alfred J. Cardall	70	3	21	London, Eng.	Harry & Emma (Freeman) Cardall
	26 Alice L. (Mayhew) Tower	76	5	29	Turner, Me.	Cornelius M. & Sophia (Dillingham) Mayhew
	27 Ann (Moore) Parker	90	11	13	England	----- & ----- Moore
	29 William H. Murray	4	3	14	Quincy	Walter H. & Florence M. (Williams) Murray
Oct.	2 Salvatore Cross	76	—	—	Italy	Francis & ----- Cross
	3 Fred E. Whiting	77	—	23	Mass.	Can not be learned
	6 John T. Daley	53	4	16	New York	Andrew & Margaret (McCaw) Daly
	8 Charles A. Jenkins	58	—	—	Yarmouth, N. S.	John & ----- Jenkins
	9 Selwyn Abrams	26	—	11	Yorkshire, Eng.	Frank A. W. & Elizabeth E. (Taylor) Abrams
	10 Annie L. (Philips) Akins	45	—	—	Charlestown	James & Isabelle (Peers) Philips
	11 Tilda (Aho) Askeli	35	4	22	Finland	Tomash & ----- Aho

12	William Hatchard	60	11	12	Bermuda	William L. & Mary (Toule) Hatchard
12	Emil E. Hyttinen	19	—	—	Rockport	Emil & Philomena (Lindquist) Hyttinen
14	Annie E. (Brown) Remick	62	7	16	Malden	James W. & Annie (Waite) Brown
15	Fred H. Chandler	71	—	—	North Carolina	Nathaniel & Elizabeth (Oldrich) Chandler
16	John C. Stevens	82	2	8	Newburyport	Michael & Dorothy (Card) Stevens
16	John H. Delorey	29	2	6	Nova Scotia	John & Margaret (Hurley) Delorey
19	Richard E. Walling	—	2	9	Hingham	George W. & Bertha A. (Bates) Walling
20	Earl Morgan	41	1	21	Reading, Pa.	Harry & Savilla (Homan) Morgan
22	Walter L. Bates	67	—	11	Weymouth	Orin B. & Susanna L. (Richards) Bates
23	Lenore W. Ospiguy	4	8	16	Quincy	John C. & Olive C. (Goodrich) Ospiguy
23	Annie M. (Belyea) Howard	51	8	19	Canada	David J. & Anna M. (Keinstead) Belyea
24	Annie R. (Kelly) Curry	50	1	20	Weymouth	Michael & Mary (Hassett) Kelly
26	Hattie A. (Thomas) Clapp	78	2	15	Weymouth	Alfred & Harriett (Harding) Thomas
27	(Stillborn Male)	—	—	—	Quincy	
30	Josephine (Salisbury) Smith	75	9	6	Weymouth	Jotham & Mary A. (Wilbur) Salisbury
31	Maurice Cleary	87	—	—	Ireland	Dennis & Mary (Stack) Cleary
Nov. 3	Florence L. (Hayden) Smith	68	8	20	New Hampshire	James H. & Kate (Dockem) Hayden
5	Lydia J. (Newton) Trull	88	9	5	Bath, Me.	William & Lydia M. (Cobb) Newton
6	(Female) Joseph	7	hours	Weymouth	Percy E. & Florence (Kaiser) Joseph	
6	Henry A. Bacon	85	—	11	Charleston, Me.	Henry & Sarah A. (Wheeler) Bacon
7	John E. McLeod	31	—	19	Cambridge	James & Leia R. (Nurchi) McLeod
9	Marion A. (McKnight) Webb	77	8	5	Boston	Robert & Helen (Barr) McKnight
10	Gertrude L. (Benedict) Sterling	48	—	18	Nova Scotia	Leonard & Emalien (Parker) Benedict
11	Ellen E. Griffin	74	—	—	Weymouth	John & Ellen (Lyons) Griffin
11	Ella L. (Bowser) Parker	44	—	9	Boston	Bedford C. & Helena R. (Hookway) Bowser
11	Marie R. Jackson	10	9	7	Bangor, Me.	Albert W. & Isabelle M. (Poulin) Jackson
15	Isadore Bloom	58	—	—	Russia	Harry L. & Miriam (Cooper) Bloom
15	Karl A. Sjoberg	41	7	5	Finland	Fred & Marie (-----) Sjoberg
15	Bertram Benson	53	1	21	Sumner, Me.	Can not be learned
16	Russell A. Small	—	—	27	Quincy	Albert F. & Mae I. (Coombs) Small
17	Bessie V. Shaw	52	7	28	Holbrook	Walton R. & Lucy (Hollis) Shaw
18	William H. Moran	91	5	10	Weymouth	John & Theresa (Keough) Moran
19	Marilla (Noyes) Bolster	83	3	2	Campton, Me.	Rufus K. & Mehitable (Smith) Noyes

Date	Name	Y	M	D	Birthplace	Parents
Nov. 20	Florence M. (Coolidge) Moore	47	—	—	Boston	John & Florence (Queeney) Coolidge
20	Warren L. Whorf	78	8	14	Boston	John B. & Lucy (Sawyer) Whorf
21	(Stillborn Male)	—	—	—	Weymouth	
27	Raymond Townsend	5	—	—	Providence, R.	I. Ralph J. & Mabel (Crabtree) Townsend
28	Harriet J. (Shaw) Shaw	88	5	29	Weymouth	David & Ruth (White) Shaw
29	Annibale Pettrucceli	55	8	3	Italy	Cereriaco & Marie (Suneora) Pettruccelli
Dec. 1	Chester O. Keene	59	6	17	Duxbury	N. Porter & Mary (Sears) Keene
1	(Male) Trott	—	—	3	Weymouth	Zenas & Alice E. (Brown) Trott
2	Jennie M. (Winslow) Wrigley	70	5	11	Abington	Joshua F. & Mary E. (-----) Winslow
2	(Stillborn Female)	—	—	—	Weymouth	
4	David L. Mullen	63	—	—	Cambridge	Robert & (-----) Mullen
5	Lester R. Mann	57	1	2	Rockland	John & Sophia (Willis) Mann
5	Katherine A. Moran	73	7	29	Weymouth	Jeremiah & Mary (O'Brien) Moran
5	Annie H. (Green) Sandison	75	—	—	Nova Scotia	Charles & Margaret (Pineo) Green
7	Emily F. Moore	63	1	20	Weymouth	James & Ann (Magee) Moore
7	(Female) Zampine	5	minutes	—	—	Felice & Julia (Spera) Zampine
8	Mary F. McSweeney	18	9	—	Somerville	William & Catherine (Brosnahan) McSweeney
10	Charles E. Child	75	—	—	Weymouth	John & Abbie (Goodnough) Child
16	(Stillborn Male)	—	—	—	Weymouth	
17	August E. Francini	52	1	8	Rome, Italy	Joseph & Mary (Evans) Francini
17	Francis Brady	59	—	—	Nova Scotia	James & Mary (Maguire) Brady
17	Albert M. Burrell	82	7	26	Weymouth	Albert & Marinda A. (Poole) Burrell
17	Christine Allen Dizer	13	8	11	Weymouth	Emerson R. & Mildred W. (Newcomb) Dizer
19	Violet I. (Austin) Brayton	44	—	—	No. Troy, Vt.	William & Clara A. (Allen) Austin
19	Charlotte B. (Tower) Heald	68	—	27	Weymouth	Charles C. & Clarice L. (Pratt) Tower
21	(Stillborn Female)	—	—	—	Braintree	
22	Octave O. LaCasse	65	9	6	Canada	Joseph & (-----) LaCasse
23	Isabel (Farrar) Buck	82	—	25	Hartford, Me.	Daniel & Angelia (Spaulding) Farrar
24	William F. O'Connor	74	3	3	Weymouth	Daniel & Catherine (Nolan) O'Connor
24	Sarah M. (Shaw) Wolfe	77	4	26	Kittery, Me.	Hiram & Caroline (Adams) Shaw
27	Helen J. (Munch) Burt	68	11	25	New Hampshire	Charles & (-----) Burt
28	Cornelius J. White	69	—	—	Boston	Cornelius & Ellen (Murphy) White

SUMMARY OF TOWN CLERK'S STATISTICAL REPORT

Births, Marriages and Deaths recorded during the year 1931

BIRTHS

The total number of births recorded during the year of 1931 were 535; Males 258; Females 277; of this number 434 were born in Weymouth and 101 were born elsewhere. There were born in Weymouth of parents living elsewhere 186; either parent born in Weymouth 151; either parent born in other cities and towns in the United States 687; either parent born in a foreign country 219; birth-place of either parent unknown 11.

The total number of births in each quarter of the year were 137, 132, 135, 131.

MARRIAGES

The total number of marriages recorded during the year 1931 were 160; marriage ceremony performed in Weymouth were 80; ceremony performed in other cities and towns of Massachusetts were 73; ceremony performed in other states 7; either party to the marriage ceremony born in Weymouth 57; either party born in other cities and towns in the United States 212; either party born in foreign countries 51.

The total number of marriages in each quarter of the year were 18, 48, 51, 43.

DEATHS

The total number of deaths recorded during the year were 290; of this number 247 were males and 143 females; died in Weymouth 234; died elsewhere 56; of the total number who died in Weymouth 38 were residents of other cities and towns; 85 of the decedents were born in Weymouth; 135 were born in other cities and towns in the United States and 70 were born in foreign countries. 94 of the decedents were single; 104 were married; 88 were widowed and 4 were divorced.

The ages of the decedents were as follows: Stillbirths 18; under 1 year of age 14; from 1 to 5 years of age 6; from 5 to 20 years of age 13; from 20 to 50 years of age 43; from 50 to 80 years of age 152; from 80 to 90 years of age 32 and over 90 years of age 12.

The total number of deaths in each quarter of the year were 71, 70, 77, 72.

Note: The object matter of printing the registration of births, marriages and deaths is to afford an opportunity for correction of errors and omissions. If any corrections or omissions be noted, notice should be sent to the Town Clerk in writing, giving the correct facts, so that the record may be perfected for the Town Records and a correct copy be prepared for the State Archives.

CLAYTON B. MERCHANT

Town Clerk.

TOWN CLERK'S FINANCIAL REPORT.

Hunting and Fishing Licenses issued during the year 1931

447 Resident Sporting licenses	@ \$2.75	\$1,229.25
1 Resident Trapping license	@ 5.25	5.25
1 Non-Resident Sporting license	@ 3.25	3.25
2 Minor Trapping licenses	@ 1.25	2.50
3 Duplicate licenses	@ .50	1.50
1 Minor Fishing license	@ 1.25	1.25
6 Resident Lobster licenses	@ 5.00	30.00
2 Resident Crab licenses	@ 5.00	10.00
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463		\$1,283.00
Less fees retained under provisions of Chapter 295, Section 9, General Laws.		114.20
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Paid to the Division of Fisheries & Game		\$1,188.80

Dog Licenses issued during the year of 1931

January 1, 1931, Cash on hand from collections of 1930

2 Males and 1 Spayed Female \$6.00

1931 Collections

996 Males	@ \$2.00	\$1,992.00
166 Females	@ 5.00	830.00
183 Spayed Females	@ 2.00	366.00
2 Kennel licenses	@ 25.00	50.00
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1350		\$3,244.00
Less fees retained under provisions of Chapter 140, Section 147, General Laws.		270.00
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Paid to the County Treasurer		\$2,974.00

MICELLANEOUS LICENSES

21 Fish, Fruit & Vegetable licenses	@ \$10.00	\$210.00
8 Auctioneers licenses	@ 2.00	16.00
100 Gas licenses	@ .50	50.00
4 Gas licenses	@ 1.00	4.00
8 Junk licenses	@ 25.00	200.00
5 Pool licenses	@ 5.00	25.00
Interest on Deposit		3.58
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Paid to the Town Treasurer		\$508.58

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JURY LIST

The following is a List of Proposed Jurors prepared by the undersigned for use during the year commencing August 1, 1931.

Adamson, George, 54 Rosemont Road	Ship Joiner
Alden, Clark L., 550 Columbian	Shoeworker
Alden, Frank, 41 Johnson Road	Clerk
Alden, James G., 391 Bridge	Retired
Anderson, Herman, 391 Pond	Machinist
Baldwin, Fred W., 561 Main	Moth Dept.
Barcello, Charles W., 80 Forest	Machinist
Barnard, John M., 721 Commercial	Advertiser
Barraud, Ernest S., 27 Walnut Avenue	Salesman
Bates, A. Parker, 620 Main	Shoeworker
Bates, J. Edward, 21 Kensington Road	Clerk
Bates, Quincy B., 298 Washington	Gardener
Beach, Lewis M., 26 Myrtle	Motorman
Beals, S. Franklin, 43 Phillips	Machinist
Beck, Walter A., 176 Green	Painter
Bernier, Nelson, 143 Bridge	Musician
Billings, Howard E., 46 Putnam	Electrician
Blackwell, Alfred F., 170 North	Electrician
Bleakney, Charles T., 60 Beals	Carpenter
Blenis, Henry C., Jr., 1069 Front	Carpenter
Bloom, Morris, Lincoln Square	Grocer
Bonney, Winfred C., 1535 Commercial	Carpenter
Brayshaw, Edmund H., 45 Sea	Fore River
Briggs, Frank E., 28 Chard	Printer
Brown, Joseph, 8 Washburn	Shoeworker
Cadmen, Alfred W., Jr., 39 Beale	Carpenter
Callahan, Lewis W., 85 Mill	Decorator
Callahan, William F., 412 Washington	Leather Worker
Calnan, Thomas H., 29 Johnson Road	Real Estate
Carter, Eugene M., 61 Middle	Retired
Chalke, William B., Jr., 1161 Washington	Grocer
Cassesse, Americo A., 197 Lake	Cement Blocks
Cate, Melville F., 918 Main	Salesman
Clapp, F. Everett, 53 Middle	St. Car Operator
Clawson, Thomas J., 190 Washington	Chipper & Caulker
Clinton, Thomas L., 1126 Middle	Chauffeur
Coffey, John H., 47 Prospect	Salesman
Connor, Timothy J., 71 Pond	Plumber
Corridan, Lawrence P., Foye Avenue	Clerk
Cote, Henry A., 158 Broad	Auto Repairer
Cox, Oscar F., 566 Bridge	Agent

Coyle, William, 64 Webb	Farmer
Coyle, William J., 64 Webb	Machinist
Craig, Robert, 364 Summer	Moulder
Crane, George B., 917 Commercial	Shipper
Crane, Herbert N., 174 Green	Extractor
Culley, Lester H., 46 Babcock Avenue	Painter
Cullinane, James A., 62 Hawthorne	Flagman
Cullinane, John P., 99 White	Shoeworker
Cushing, Robert J., 535 Bridge	Carpenter
Curry, Hugh, 23 Baker Avenue	Fore River
Cushing, Samuel F., 39 Hunt	Fore River
Cuthbert, Robert J., 522 Main	Shoeworker
Davis, George M., 28 Phillips	Meat Business
Davy, Clinton H., 28 Sterling	Steam Fitter
DeCoste, Augustus, 240 East	Carpenter
Delahunt, William H., 949 Main	Salesman
Delano, Henry F., 204 North	Painter
Delorey, Joseph E., 110 Chard	Druggist
DeNeil, John V. 142 Broad	Inspector
Derrig, Howard R., 34 Shaw	Asst. Chemist
Desmond, Allen, 37 Adams Place	Shoeworker
Desmond, John P., 23 Adams Place	Shoeworker
Dizer, Emerson R., 108 Middle	Accountant
Dodge, Don R., 320 Pond	Painter
Dondero, Angelo, 15 Curtis Avenue	Contractor
Donlan, John F., 75 Summit	Carpenter
Donovan, Jeremiah, 38 Walnut Avenue	Teamster
Dooley, John J., 20 Shore Drive	Elec. Engineer
Downing, Charles A., 126 Oak	Printer
Drinkwater, Rotheus, 23 Phillips	Engineer
Dunbar, Charles E., 75 High	Painter
Dwyer, John F., 324 Washington	Assessor
Easton, John G., 162 Middle	Salesman
Ellis, Harry A., 28 Lane Avenue	Chauffeur
Evans, Daniel S., 49 Massasoit Road	Shoeworker
Fearing, Clarence A., 36 Water	Shoeworker
Ford, J. Clifford, 1076 Main	Shoeworker
Fisher, John P., 287 Commercial	Manufacturer
Gannon, Timothy J., 43 Bryant Avenue	Shoeworker
Garlick, Harry E., 1678 Commercial	Auto Repairer
Gloster, Patrick, 29 Granite	Shoeworker
Hall, Leo T., 493 Pleasant	Painter
Halloran, Richard, 466 Main	Shoeworker
Hamilton, Robert, 33 Bartlett	Fore River
Harper, Fred, 133 Broad	Laborer

Hartt, Guy W. C., 308 Pond	Manager
Hawley, William S., off Pond	Foreman
Heffernan, John W., 1024 Front	Shoeworker
Hersey, Roger W., 738 Main	Salesman
Hodgdon, George R., 171 White	Shoeworker
Holbrook, Charles H., 23 Curtis Avenue	Shipper
Holbrook, Clinton H., off Ralph Talbot	Laborer
Hollis, Charles J., 143 Washington	Garage Prop.
Hollis, Sanford J., 749 Main	Salesman
Keefe, William P., 174 Washington	Shoeworker
Kelley, Charles H., 821 Front	Manufacturer
Kemp, Emory L., 1477 Commercial	Ref. Engineer
King, Victor, 50 Federal	Engraver
Klosson, Theodore, 1114 Pleasant	Stone Cutter
Knox, James A., 412 Broad	Shoeworker
Leary, Fred J., 1152 Pleasant	Shoemaker
Lynch, William F., 30 Essex	Storekeeper
Leavitt, Charles E., 28 Broad	Carpenter
Lennox, Allen D., 310 Middle	Fireman
Lincoln, George A., 1282 Commercial	Fireman
Litchfield, Henry S., 15 Baker Avenue	Woolen Mill
Lohnes, Arthur R., 69 Vine	Real Estate
Longuemare, Theodore A., 11 Franklin	Machinist
Loud, George G., 11 Loud Avenue	Carpenter
Lonegan, Thomas P., 38 Laurel	Salesman
Lucas, Roy C., 98 Front	Credit Man
Lukeman, Edward, 391 Summer	Bookkeeper
Lukeman, Edward J., 391 Summer	Shoeworker
MacDonald, John J., 18 Vine	Elec. Pole Con.
MacKay, William R., 9 Field Avenue	Shoeworker
Marr, Edward 94 Union	Shoeworker
McAlpine, James S., 952 Commercial	Fore River
McCarthy, James J., 247 Washington	Fore River
McGonigal, James, 24 Richmond	Quartermen
McPhee, William P., 34 May Terrace	Carpenter
Melcher, Nathaniel E., 174 Central	Fireman
Melville, James L., 568 Main	Laborer
Melville, Thomas H., 568 Main	Shoeworker
Merchant, Edwin E., 6 Water	Merchant
Miller, Frank R., 636 Main	Adv. Eng.
Mowry, Charles B., 29 Central	Shoeworker
Mitchell, Robert, 39 Shawmut	Shoeworker
Moore, James, 82 Kensington Road	Carpenter
Moore, Walter E., 21 Clinton Road	Real Estate

Murray, Gideon, 74 Putnam	Shoeworker
Nadell, Warren F., 468 Summer	Merchant
Nash, Robert B., 55 Broad	Fore River
Nightingale, Irving R., 8 Randall Avenue	Carpenter
Norton, John J., 185 Commercial	Merchant
O'Brien, Henry T., 65 Keith	Gas Inspector
O'Connell, Cornelius, 371 Washington	Leather Worker
O'Connell, John D., 7 Granite	Leather Worker
O'Connor, Charles W., 88 Summer	Clerk
O'Malley, Thomas F., 11 Tremont	Brass Finisher
Otis, James F., 81 High	Grocer
O'Rourke, Michael H., 21 Linden Avenue	Peddler
Our, Ellsworth J., 35 Cain Avenue	Carpenter
Parker, Murray G., 24 Pierce Court	Machinist
Perry, George E., 505 Pond	Ice Cream Mfg.
Perkins, Silas A., Genevieve Road	Real Estate
Phillips, Walter A., 122 Broad	Retired
Plummer, Linwood C., 186 Sea	Jeweler
Pratt, Harold C., 23 Lafayette Avenue	Electrician
Pratt, Henry C., 18 Cedar	Stone Mason
Pray, Roger E., 34 Phillip	Mechanic
Pray, Herbert F., 232 Washington	Shoeworker
Pray, William E., 93 Front	Manufacturer
Price, John F., 779 Front	Manufacturer
Rapperport, Henry, 86 Washington	Merchant
Raymond, Frank K., 38 Hili	Shoeworker
Reidy, Charles P., 1274 Commercial	Real Estate
Reilly, Henry, 302 Pleasant	Painter
Ritchie, Alexander, 452 Commercial	Floor Finisher
Rounds, Clarence P., 24 Sherwood Road	Manager
Ryerson, Walter F., 59 Cain Avenue	Machinist
Sampson, Edwin R., 19 Lincoln	Bank Treasurer
Sandberg, Hans A. N., 17 Richards Road	Builder
Santry, Daniel B., 202 Pond	Operator
Seach, William, 978 Washington	Retired
Senior, Edwin, 20 Tremont	Draughtsman
Simmons, William S., 18 Oakden Avenue	Retired
Sherry, James E., 21 Standish	Insurance
Slattery, Dennis J., 43 Granite	Fore River
Smith, Ernest A., 1141 Commercial	Salesman
Smith, Eugene E., 681 Broad	Salesman
Sprague, Robert L., 438 Pleasant	Shoeworker
Sullivan, Herbert I., 15 Rosemont Road	Elec. Engineer
Sylvester, Everett H., 22 Cottage	Salesman
Taylor, John 12 Shaw	Real Estate

Thomas, John F., 233 Randolph	Operator
Tirrell, Alfred S., 586 Main	Merchant
Tirrell, Cassius, 110 Hollis	Dealer
Tirrell, Marcus L., 10 Hollis	Shoeworker
Tirrell, Waldo, 20 Baker Avenue	Shoeworker
Tobey, Elliot L., 76 Lovell	Chauffeur
Tobin, John H., 60 Grove	Agent
Trainor, James L., 19 Sterling	Manufacturer
Trudell, Edward A., 15 Kensington Road	Clerk
Trudell, Joseph A., 15 Kensington Road	Clerk
Waite, Fred E., 2 Oakcrest Road	Real Estate
Walker, Horace, 27 Pearl	Salesman
Wall, William H., 166 Broad	Real Estate
Wash, John D., 153 Central	Shoeworker
Welch, Emory E., 487 Pond	Salesman
Welch, Phillip M., 20 Reed Avenue	Shoeworker
Welch, Michael B., 187 Union	Salesman
Wheaton, Roy, A., 1121 Commercial	Manager
Whelan, John B., 36 Common	Real Estate
White, Edmund P., 16 Baker Avenue	Merchant
White, Walter, 160 Front	Shoeworker
Whyte, William H., 562 Union	Carpenter
Williams, Charles H., 25 Lincoln	Shoeworker
Wing, Daniel, 142 Westminster Road	Auto Repairer

WILLIAM A. CONNELL

FRED E. WAITE

H. FRANKLIN PERRY

WILLIAM A. HANNAFORD

CHARLES H. CHUBBUCK

Selectmen of Weymouth.

JURORS DRAWN DURING THE YEAR 1931

Walter A. Beck	Edmund H. Brayshaw
William F. Callahan	Melville F. Cate
Edward T. Coyne	Henry F. Delano
John V. DeNeil	John F. Dolan
Jeremiah Donovan	Charles A. Downing
Rotheus Drinkwater	J. Clifford Ford
Irving S. Newcomb	Roger E. Pray
Herbert F. Pray	Alexander Ritchie
John W. Seabury	Ernest D. Trussell
John D. Walsh	Philip M. Welch
Ernest S. Barraud	George M. Davis
John D. Dwyer	Harry E. Garlick
Patrick Gloster	Victor King
Charles E. Leavitt	George A. Lincoln
Roy C. Lucas	Edward Lukeman
Edwin E. Merchant	Charles W. O'Connor
James F. Otis	William S. Simmons

Daniel Wing

CLAYTON B. MERCHANT

Town Clerk.



REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN AND BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Weymouth:

At the Annual Town Election held on March 9, 1931, the following were elected to serve on the Board of Selectmen for one year: Charles H. Chubbuck, William A. Connell, William A. Hannaford, H. Franklin Perry and Fred E. Waite.

The Board took the oath of Office before Town Clerk Clayton B. Merchant, on March 10, 1931.

At the first meeting held on March 10, 1931, the Board elected William A. Connell, Chairman, and Fred E. Waite, Clerk, of the Board.

There was no change made in the appointment of department heads.

The contract for the collection of garbage was again awarded to Dwyer Brothers, who so efficiently fulfilled the same contract for the previous year.

On March 30, 1931, Irving E. Johnson, who served the Town for a number of years as Superintendent of Streets, resigned. The Board recognizes the high standard of efficiency developed in the Street Department under the guidance of Mr. Johnson and feel confident that his successor Mr. Arthur I. Negus, appointed April 6, 1931, will be equally efficient.

On April 13, 1931, Arthur H. Pratt, who served the Town as a member of the Police Force for a period of thirty-nine years, the last sixteen years as Chief, was retired.

Edward F. Butler, was appointed Chief of the Weymouth Police Department on August 3, 1931.

Along with this change in the Police Department, Charles W. Baker was promoted to the position of Captain.

At a joint meeting of the Board of Water Commissioners and the Board of Selectmen held July 16, 1931, Howard M. Dowd was appointed a Water Commissioner to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Frank Herbert Torrey.

On July 16, 1931 the Board voted to give the Welfare Worker, Miss Margaret Hyland, complete charge of administering poor relief. Her report which will be made separate will show the efficient way in which she has handled this department.

The tremendous increase in the number of persons applying for poor relief undoubtedly is due to the universal business depression which we have been through in the past year and for which, at the present time, there seems to be no adequate remedy. A fund was appropriated for public work to relieve charity, the only ones employed to be paid from this fund are persons having a settlement in Weymouth. We hope that this work can be continued as it is good for the morale of the people in needy circumstances as it enables them to earn their way instead of depending upon public relief, at the same time many worthy projects have been developed.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford A. Berry continue to superintend the Town Infirmary which due to their management is a distinct credit to the Town.

Under the recent act of the Legislature for Old Age Assistance we have over one hundred persons receiving benefits from this Act. Applications are received by the Agent and thoroughly investigated and then approved by the State.

The Board appointed a committee called "Weymouth Unemployment Committee" whose duty was to look after the unemployed situation in Weymouth and to remedy conditions wherever they could.

The Board take this opportunity to thank all departments under their jurisdiction for their co-operation during the past year.

WILLIAM A. CONNELL
FRED E. WAITE
H. FRANKLIN PERRY
WILLIAM A. HANNAFORD
CHARLES H. CHUBBUCK

Selectmen of Weymouth.

TREE WARDEN AND MOTH SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

South Weymouth, Mass.

January 5, 1932

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of Weymouth.

Herewith please find my report for the year 1931.

We were badly handicapped in the early season by the many heavy rains which prevented our spraying 15 days during the season and as that is when we are spending the most money it has enabled us to return quite a sum to the treasury which could have been wisely spent, weather permitting. I feel that the money spent in motorizing the old big sprayer and buying the new one was money well spent as we were able to take care of the elm leaf beetles in very good shape, while many Towns around us with less equipment were badly defoliated.

We cut and burned many truck loads of the fall web worms mostly on our streets though we did cut some on private property where they were most conspicuous. As there is no law regarding this pest it is up to private parties to take care of their own and in aid to that work we will furnish pruning poles at slight cost or will lend on condition. GO TO IT.

We have also cut a great many wild cherry trees and bushes all over Town. That is another thing that we have to do out of our appropriation as there is no law covering it but everybody wants it done.

At the suggestion of the State Board we did some scouting for Gypsy Moths mostly along the borders of our Town and while we found some few, we would have to charge a pretty good price for each nest to call it that we got our money's worth, however, we think that it pays to get as near as possible to the last one as we have plenty of them within 20 miles.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES L. MERRITT

Moth Superintendent.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of Weymouth.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find my report for the year 1931. We have had quite a lot of tree pruning to do in the past year as our old Elms are showing more dead limbs than live ones. I think that they are starving to death. We have the past year used one ton of fertilizer around some of them and think it paid. I hope that there will be more used this year. We have set out over 100 Norway Maple Trees in the last year and there should be that number set out every year for some time to come.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES L. MERRITT

Tree Warden.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON POLLUTION OF WEYMOUTH GREAT POND

January 4, 1932

At the Annual Town Meeting of the Town of Weymouth, held on March 2-4, 1931, under Article 12 of the Warrant it was charged that the water of Weymouth Great Pond was being polluted and it was voted:

“That a Committee of five be appointed to investigate the pollution of the Weymouth Great Pond and report at a future Town Meeting.”

The Undersigned, as members of that committee, have made a personal survey of the shores of the Pond and have had conferences with Mr. Fred O. Stevens, Superintendent, Dr. George H. Bigelow, Massachusetts Commissioner of Public Health and Mr. Arthur D. Weston, Chief Engineer of the Department of Public Health, as well as those who have complained of pollution.

The committee finds that the Water Commissioners are not in favor of purchasing the entire water shed, but are merely desirous of acquiring all property from which pollution might find its way directly to the Pond. The more remote sections of the water shed, situated in the Town of Holbrook, and a small area in the Town of Abington, are not of so great importance. Even if the Town later sees fit to build a filtration plant, the first requisite, according to the water engineers with whom we have talked, is to have the source of supply as free from harmful bacteria as possible. The public should clearly understand the difference between pollution which results from bacteria from the human system and mere discoloration and sediment coming from vegetable sources, which in itself can do no harm in so far as disease is concerned. The only sure method of avoiding pollution is to keep human beings from that part of the water shed in close proximity to the Pond. It is this that the Water Commissioners have in mind in taking certain areas on the water shed.

A filtration plant as has been proposed by the engineer of the Water Department would be very effective in reducing the color and removing vegetable matter and sediment, and if the people of the Town feel willing to expend the required amount for the luxury of a perfectly clear, odorless, and tasteless water, such a plant would be very desirable. The point that the committee wishes to emphasize is that brought out very positively by Dr. Bigelow at his meeting with the committee, namely, that from the health standpoint it is not a filtration plant but careful control of the water shed that is of prime importance.

The committee finds that the discoloration complaint is sectional and is largely due to local conditions rather than the quality of the water as it leaves the Pond. This has been very clearly explained by our Water Engineer, Mr. Stevens, in his report contained in the Town Report of 1922 as follows:

"The complaints of consumers regarding the water, however, are not of its condition from a sanitary standpoint, but mainly of its appearance. Due to the large areas of undrained swamps on its water shed and the heavy growth of grass and deciduous trees along its shores, Great Pond furnishes a water of a relatively high color and carries a considerable amount of vegetable matter in suspension.

"That these characteristics in a water supply are objectionable cannot be denied. They are more or less repulsive to the refined taste and tend to give the erroneous impression that the source is unclean and perhaps polluted. Twenty years ago when many communities were using water of the color of weak tea without complaint, this Great Pond Water would have been considered exceptionally good. It has not deteriorated since then, but the taste of the consumer in this, as in many other things, has become more refined, and his demands more exacting. The water supply profession to-day recognizes the fact that it must supply a water which is not only safe but clear and sparkling and pleasing to all the senses.

"The only process by which Great Pond water can be brought up to these standards, is that of coagulation with alum and rapid filtration through sand. Slow sand filtration without chemicals would remove this suspended matter and most effectively take care of any possible disease-breeding bacteria, but the filtered water would still have sufficient color to cause dissatisfaction among the consumers."

This statement by Mr. Stevens has been supported by Dr. Bigelow and Mr. Weston.

All actions of the Water Department over a period of years in preserving the purity of the supply have been taken with the full knowledge, advice and approval of the State Department of Public Health. This department makes periodic tests for pollution. Dr. Bigelow and Mr. Weston have expressed themselves as well satisfied with the purity of our water supply.

With the shores under the absolute control of the Water Department and the water shed subject to the joint supervision of the Water Department and State Board of Health, we believe that our water supply will be kept in a safe and sanitary condition. The committee is satisfied that our Town water supply is amply protected.

HOWARD M. CLARK

GEORGE W. PERRY

GEORGE E. CUNNIFF, Secretary

DANIEL L. O'DONNELL, Chairman.

REPORT OF HARBOR MASTER

Weymouth, Massachusetts
December 30, 1931

Honorable Board of Selectmen
Town of Weymouth
Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report of the Harbor Master's Department which also includes the clam industry division for the year 1931. The past year has been busier than that of 1930 on account of the fact that Commercial and Yachting traffic has increased in the Weymouth Fore and Back Rivers; and also the opening of our clam producing areas for the purpose of relieving the unemployment situation in our town kept me busy (in January, February and June) laying out digging areas, issuing diggers' permits and doing general supervision work which was necessary to make it a going industry, and keep our unemployed working.

To make this report as brief as possible, I am only taking from my record book a few of the important items so our citizens can get an insight of the department work which is necessary to maintain for the protection of life and property on our river.

Searching the water front and Islands for two escaped prisoners from Deer Island, Boston; investigating the breaking and entering of the Gunning stand on Slate Island; Assisting Quincy Police recovering drowned body; policing of Weymouth water front in the vicinity of the Fore River Ship Building Company at launching of Matson Liners Mariposa and Monterey; notifying U. S. Light House Department when Gas Buoys in our river go out, and enforcing U. S. Motor Boat equipment laws; taking off the river reckless and inexperienced boat operators; rescuing boys out in their home-made and dangerous boats, which I destroy; delivering mail to Steamship in our port; taking census of all boats on our water front; granting mooring permits; keeping channels clear from Commercial traffic; laying out bath beach areas and placing red barrels on same to indicate danger limits; recovering stolen and lost boats; rendering assistance to those in need of such, also service to the Industries situated on our water front; investigating pollution of our river in the interest of clean water for our bathing public. I covered 845 miles in my launch in the discharge of the work of the department, used 370 gallons of gas, 14 gallons of oil, and granted 28 mooring permits, recovered 22 out of 25 boats reported lost or stolen—value \$850.00. On September 1st, I took a census of all boats on our water front and found 328 boats of all descriptions with an estimated value of \$145,750 which is an increase over 1930.

Regarding the Clam Industry Division, I issued 148 permits to our unemployed citizens to dig clams for the buyers (and while only 23 took advantage to work out of these 148) they produced 1,396 bushels of clams and received \$1,047.00 for same, the Town receiving and to receive \$93.71 from the buyers as fees. These clams were dug during January, February and June and in 39 digging days the commercial value was \$5,604.00. Just as soon as the buyers are ready to operate in the Weymouth area, I will re-open the clam flats which will relieve the unemployment situation to some extent.

In closing I want to call your attention, also the attention of the citizens, to the fact that I am to receive \$18.25 for my services for the past year for rendering this public service, and in view of the fact that I have lost money in my business on account of the work I have to render to the public, I now give your Board notice that unless the town is prepared to pay me a reasonable salary in the future for my work, I will have to request your Board not to re-appoint me when my term expires.

Respectfully submitted,

A. S. VEADER.

Harbor Master—Weymouth

SUPERINTENDENT OF ALEWIFE FISHERIES REPORT

1074 Pleasant Street

East Weymouth, Mass.

January 1, 1932

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen,
East Weymouth, Mass.

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my Second Annual Report as Superintendent of the Alewife Fishery in the Town of Weymouth for the year ending December 31, 1931. Work was started on March 16, and continued until approximately eighty thousand (80,000) Alewives were deposited in Whitman's Pond for spawning. Owing to the fact that the run was poor, most of the fish that came up were deposited in the Pond for spawning.

The young fish came down to the salt water the latter part of the season in endless numbers as did many of the older ones.

In closing my report I wish to extend my sincere thanks to your Honorable Board of Selectmen, to the Weymouth Light & Power Company and to the Weymouth Wool Scouring Company for the help and co-operation given me during the season.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS M. O'TOOLE

Superintendent of Alewife Fisheries.

WEYMOUTH TOWN INFIRMARY REPORT FOR YEAR 1931

To the Honorable Board of Public Welfare:

Herewith submit report of the Weymouth Infirmary, Essex Street, for the year 1931.

There are three women and thirteen men residing at the Infirmary, detailed as follows:

Number of residents January 1, 1931.....	19
Number admitted during year.....	6
Number discharged during year.....	9
Number of residents December 31, 1931.....	16

As usual, those that are not too feeble, have been very co-operative in doing general work such as minor repairs, making a very successful garden from which many supplies were canned and stored for winter use; caring for hens, lawns, etc.

IMPROVEMENTS: Last year with a special appropriation, the buildings were put in perfect repair inside and outside, so that this year the only improvement of note, is the addition of a sign marking the name of the Infirmary which was placed at the entrance of the driveway.

ENTERTAINMENT AND GIFTS: For diversion, in addition to the radio in the Smoke House, there was the trip to Weymouth Fair and Thanksgiving feast. At Christmas time, a tree with gifts for all was made possible through the kindness of your honorable Board and many Weymouth citizens and organizations who sent gifts and furnished entertainment.

In closing my fifth annual report, wish to thank all for the helpful co-operation received by Mrs. Berry and myself during the year.

Respectfully submitted.

CLIFFORD A. BERRY, Supt.

REPORT OF VISITOR FOR BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

The past year has again shown a great increase in relief to the needy of the Town, more so than in previous years. This has been due, as heretofore, to unemployment and sickness.

During the year 1931 my duties as Welfare Worker have so increased as to require my presence at the Town Office on Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings. This does not include informal visits at my home. It is my duty to interview all applicants seeking relief who are capable of coming to the Town Office. My work as visitor and investigator has also continued.

Since July, 1931, the Board of Public Welfare has delegated complete supervision of the welfare work in the Town to me. I wish at this time to thank them for this exemplification of their confidence in me, and for their hearty co-operation and support.

As in the past an earnest effort has been made to give work to the members of families in need wherever possible. Although very stringent investigations have been made in all cases where aid is sought, the deserving ones have been cared for. It has been my purpose to carry on this work in the most efficient way, and at the same time to do so in a gracious and humane manner.

No one can promise that our annual appropriation for this work will be lower this year. I believe, however, that the utmost efficiency and consideration is being given to this important problem, and that the Town of Weymouth will maintain its wholesome attitude of benevolence to its worthy Townspeople who are in need.

MARGARET A. HYLAND.

REPORT OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE AGENT

My work as Agent under the Old Age Assistance Law commenced July 1, 1931. This has required my presence at the Town Office every Thursday.

Interviewed 216 applicants:

Applications received	163
Applications accepted and Assistance given	109
Applications refused	54

Refusals based on the following reasons:

Not Citizens	4
Age not proven over seventy	1
Not a resident for twenty consecutive years	3
Sufficient resources	17
Children able to support	2
Left Town before application had been acted upon	5
Died before application had been acted upon	2
Waiting for further information	20
	54

MARGARET A. HYLAND.

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH

To the citizens of the Town of Weymouth,
Gentlemen:

The Board of Health herewith submit the following report.

The Board met and organized March 12, 1931, all the members being present.

Joseph Crehan was elected chairman and F. L. Doucett, clerk.

The following appointments were made, George Marshall, plumbing inspector and Thomas Joseph MacDonald, deputy inspector; Merton Loud, inspector of milk and dairies; Warren Menchin, inspector of slaughtering and slaughter houses; Katherine Pratt, public health nurse; Carl Shepherd, agent for fumigating and Jeremiah Donovan, care of the public dumps.

The general health of the Town has been very good throughout the year except for a small outbreak of scarlet fever in South Weymouth in the early part of the year and one in North Weymouth in the closing months of the year.

These outbreaks are unquestionably due to some very mild case which was not recognized and after one day's illness at home without consulting a physician, the child is allowed to return to school.

Every child who complains of a headache, sore throat and vomits, should be seen by a physician before it returns to school. Many cases of scarlet fever are so mild that the acute symptoms only last one or two days and that child is just as much a menace as though it had had a severe attack.

The lack of sewerage continues to be one of our most perplexing problems, especially in the spring when the drains and cesspools are flooded with surface water. In many parts of the Town during this time of the year, sewerage is flooded over the surface of the ground with no way of relieving this unhealthy and unsanitary condition.

The following are the contagious diseases reported to the Board during the year.

Anterior polomyelitis	10
Chicken pox	17
Diphtheria	9
Dog bite	33
Influenza	3
Lobar pneumonia	7
Measles	97
Mumps	10
Scarlet fever	159
Pulmonary tuberculosis	23
Whooping cough	9

The total number of cases reported was 377, of these 159 or slightly more than 40% were scarlet fever. There was a marked increase in the number of dog bites, 33 as against 19 the year before, and the cases of tuberculosis fell off from 39 in 1930 to 19 in 1931.

Respectfully submitted,

F. L. DOUCETT

Board of Health.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF MILK AND DAIRIES

Board of Health of Town of Weymouth:

I herewith submit my report as Inspector of Milk and Dairies, also the registration of dealers for the sale of Oleomargarine for the year ending December 31, 1931.

Milk Licenses—Dealers	62
Milk Licenses—Stores	126
Oleomargarine Registrations	26
Total number of permits issued	214

Respectfully submitted,

MERTON L. LOUD
Inspector of Milk and Dairies.
South Weymouth, Mass.
December 31, 1931

REPORT OF THE PLUMBING INSPECTOR

South Weymouth, Mass.
December 31, 1931

Board of Health of Town of Weymouth:

We herewith submit our report for the year ending December 31, 1931.

There has been issued from this office 162 permits for installing together with one left over from 1930. Of this number 161 have passed inspection and one remains left over for 1932.

There have been installed in old and new buildings the following fixtures.

97 sinks
73 trays
111 bath tubs
138 lavatories
167 closets
2 urinals
2 sterno tables
1 dishwasher
1 potato peeler
4 showers
4 bubblers
1 slop sink
1 drip sink

making a total of 602 fixtures, the value of which is \$37,825.00.

The number of old and new buildings in which plumbing was installed are as follows:

- 43 new one family houses
- 70 old one family houses
- 3 new two family houses
- 19 old two family houses
- 3 old three family houses
- 1 old church
- 1 old club house
- 2 old office buildings
- 2 new gas stations
- 1 old drug store
- 1 old laundry
- 7 old stores
- 1 new store
- 1 old cafeteria
- 1 old power plant

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE MARSHALL

Inspector of Plumbing.

REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS

East Weymouth, Massachusetts

January 6, 1932

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

There has been a decrease in the estimated valuation in all projects of building during 1931 of approximately 43% of the total of 1930, although there has been a falling off in the number of residential building of only 26% from the 1930 total.

Evidence is increasing that moderate improvement in residential construction will take place in 1932 but any marked upturn is highly improbable at least until confidence, shaken by inflated values in real estate, is restored; when the necessary stability of the cost of construction has become apparent to the public, and when financial conditions improve sufficiently to induce procedure of any project. Confidence is slowly developing and should result in a gradual program of good construction.

In all probability lower building costs are necessary before any marked increase in activity will take place because purchasing power has constantly decreased; the surplus of dwellings has not been entirely eliminated, and financial assistance is difficult to obtain. However, when these conditions are properly adjusted there will be an improvement in the residential type of construction.

A most important amendment to the building laws, adopted at the Annual Town Meeting pertaining to the erection of buildings on streets where plans are pending or under consideration for widening, has worked advantageously for the Town on Broad Street, East Weymouth, where two stores were built by The Economy and The First National Stores respectively. By this amendment an agreement has been drawn whereby no damages can be assessed the Town either for land or buildings when and if the development of Broad Street is ever undertaken.

Herewith is summary of the records of the Department:

Building permits issued	182.
Alteration permits issued	197.
Estimated valuation of buildings	\$268,849.00
Estimated valuation of alterations	97,486.00
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TOTAL VALUATION	\$366,335.00
Receipts	676.00

Elevators inspected and certified fifteen (15).

It is with grateful appreciation that I thank your Honorable Board, the Chief of Police, the Chief of the Fire Department, the Board of Appeal and the Town Counsel for the assistance and co-operation given the Building Department during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

T. J. KELLY

Inspector of Buildings.

REPORT OF THE PLANNING BOARD

Weymouth, Mass.

January 7, 1932

To the Citizens of Weymouth:

In submitting our fifth annual report of the Planning Board of the Town of Weymouth, we wish to express our appreciation, of the favorable comments, on reports we have received from some of our Townspeople, on many of our contemplated projects.

At the beginning of the year, we organized with Frank A. Pray as Chairman, and Ralph H. Haskins, Clerk.

At our several meetings, we have considered various improvements in the Town, some of which you will find in the warrant for our Annual Town Meeting in March. As follows:

Traffic lights at Lincoln Square and Independence Square.

Permanent sidewalks on the westerly side of Torrey Street, from Pleasant Street to Park Avenue.

Relocating and curbing at the corner of Laurel Street, adjacent to property of Annie E. McMorro. Cost not to exceed one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

Relocating the corner at Commercial and Webb Street, on southerly side, in accordance with plans made by the Town Engineer.

Relocating the corner on the westerly side of Essex Street at Broad Street.

The removal of the Fountains at the junction of North and East Street.

Also at the junction of Commercial and Church Streets.

Relocating of Pleasant Street, at the junction of Pine Street.

A Street connecting Lovell and North Street, a project we recommended two years ago, but did not meet with favor of the Selectmen.

Other projects considered by your Planning Board was the widening or relocating Pleasant Street, south of Washington Street, also the straightening of Pleasant Street, beginning south of the Police Station, through to the junction of Water Street.

The straightening of Commercial Street, at or near Avonia Spring.

The purchasing or taking by eminent domain, land of Thos. H. Hannaford, at the junction of Pond and Derby Streets, at a price not in excess of three thousand, seven hundred and fifty dollars.

We also recommended to the Selectmen, the laying out and building a State Highway, beginning at the Braintree line, through West and Middle Streets, to Central Square, during this coming year. One-third of the cost each to be borne by the State, County and Town. The cost to the Town would not exceed thirty-seven thousand dollars (\$37,000.00).

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK A. PRAY, Chairman
RALPH H. HASKINS, Clerk
RUSSELL H. WHITING
JOSIAH B. REED
ALLAN C. EMERY
THOS. J. KELLY
ARTHUR I. NEGUS

Weymouth Planning Board.

REPORT OF THE ELECTRIC LIGHTING COMMITTEE

December 31, 1931

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Your committee, with the approval of the Town Counsel, signed a one year contract, dated April 1, 1931, with the Weymouth Light and Power Co. to light the public streets and ways. By this agreement the Town will receive about 30% more light than formerly as all 60 C. P. lamps, as they are renewed, will be changed to 80 C. P. The price of all lamps has been lowered and there will be no increase in the total cost to the Town. This change in rates accounts mostly for our large unexpended balance of \$750.26.

The new yearly price of the 80 C. P. lamp is \$21.60 and the operation of the 1000 C. P. ornamental lamp costs \$85.00. Our monthly bill is now about \$3,200.

It is the opinion of the Committee that special articles should be inserted in the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting if 1000 C. P. lights are desired, as our budget is insufficient to provide for such expensive lights.

There are continual requests for lights on private ways which we have never granted as there is a question of legality, although some municipalities do light these ways. If a change is made here there are about 20 miles of avenues to cover.

This committee recognizes the inadequacy of the present lighting of Bridge Street from Fore River Bridge to Neck Street, a distance of about one and one-third miles. The only satisfactory solution is probably by the use of flood lights placed on both sides of the street, which is the widest in the Town. One set could be placed on brackets on existing poles and on the other side special ornamental poles would be necessary. We have had prepared plans and specifications to carry this out, but the cost would be considerable, and in view of the present economic conditions, we have deemed it best not to ask for action at this time.

Meantime, may we suggest that your Board request our Senator and Representative to ascertain if there is any possibility of financial assistance from the State Highway funds in carrying out this project.

It will require \$38,434. to maintain our present service for the coming year, and we are asking for \$810 extra for six months service of 75 new lights, about 50 of which will be needed for newly accepted streets.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH KELLEY, Chairman
EDWIN MULREADY
WILLIAM B. NASH, JR.
ALFRED S. TIRRELL
J. HERBERT LIBBEY, Clerk.

REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

324 Washington Street
Weymouth, Mass.

January

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:
Gentlemen:

Herewith is submitted the annual report of the Inspector of Animals for the year 1931.

Number of Places Inspected	66
Number of Cows Inspected	566
Number of Young Stock Inspected	25
Number of Bulls Inspected	10
Number of Dogs Inspected	25
Number of Dogs Quarantined	5
Number of Sheep Inspected	17

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN F. DWYER
Inspector of Animals.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of the Town of Weymouth, Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my first annual report of the Street Department for the year ending December 31, 1931. The organization of the department has remained the same as the past year with the exception of the resignation of our former Superintendent, Irving E. Johnson, this taking place shortly after his reappointment, and the appointment of Arthur I. Negus as Superintendent.

Our General Repair item \$48,000.00 being \$12,000.00 less than that of 1930 called for rather close and economical planning, and the fact that this account had to stand for some of the expense of expediting the work of the unemployed made it necessary to use great care, in order to keep within our appropriation.

We have greatly increased the installation of asphalt concrete in our new streets and have found it very useful in gutter and wash-out repairs.

The cost of street oiling has been somewhat reduced inasmuch as they have been so well cared for in the past, thus calling for a lighter distribution of oil and sand. The character of material furnished having been of exceptionally good grade also played an important part in lowering these costs. At the same time every mile of gravel road in Town has been given a treatment of tar.

The gravel pit adjoining the Keith pit has been opened up and 12,380 yards of good gravel taken out.

The crusher has not been operated as extensively as last year, but after proper repairs have been made will be used more in 1932.

One two ton Auto Car truck has been purchased to replace the 2½ ton Netco of 1922 vintage. A Good Roads snow plow has been added to our equipment.

Much of our old snow fence was discarded as it had become obsolete. 800 feet of new fence has been purchased.

We have recommended purchase of new trucks to take the place of those that have been hired, and has caused so much comment.

The storehouse has received extensive repairs this year and by making some changes, increased our street floor space 1,540 sq. ft. as well as making ample storage space for sidewalk plows on second floor.

Sidewalks:

In 1930 this department began the construction of asphalt concrete sidewalks and we have followed it up during 1931 with very satisfactory results. Our sidewalk crews are improving in this work and can now install same at much lower cost than by contract. Following is list of walks and drive entrances added in 1931.

Northerly side Union Street beginning at residence of Oswald Ralph in a southerly direction.

Lake Street between Charles and Middle Streets.

Pleasant Street from Woods Garage running in a southerly direction. Cement concrete curb has been installed at this point.

Easterly side of Pine Street between Pleasant and Elm Streets.

Putnam Street between Broad and Commercial Streets.

Westerly side of Washington Street between Congress and junction of Main and Washington Streets.

Southerly side Broad, from Washington Street running in easterly direction.

Southerly side of Broad in front of Hunt School. Cement concrete curb was installed at this point.

Commercial from point near Cottage Street running in a northerly direction.

Northerly side Legion field.

Keith Street from Summit near Granite Street to a point near Prospect Street.

Commercial Street from R. R. Crossing near Webb Street to Old Tufts House.

Pleasant Street and Park Avenue at St. Francis Xavier Church.

Bridge Street from Neck to northerly side of St. Jerome Church.

Pond Street from S. W. Depot to Independence Square.

\$2,000.00 was appropriated for walk on West Street between Rockcroft Road and Summer Street. It was necessary to change the entire location for this walk and much fill was used, two catch basins and drains installed leaving the gravel walk to settle before placing asphalt concrete in 1932.

Walk from Middle Street to residence of Silas Newcomb called for the same treatment as that on West Street and asphalt should be installed in 1932.

We strongly advocate cement concrete curb wherever same can be placed, as it not only protects the edges of the walk but makes a much better gutter possible.

The above sidewalks were installed at a cost of \$21,250.00 which also covers many repair jobs in various parts of the Town. This appropriation was intended in some instances to cover only a portion of installation requested.

Special appropriation for Streets:

Pond Street from Independence Square to S. W. Depot, an area of 5,464.5 sq. yds. was reconstructed with asphalt hotmix covering from curb to curb.

Middle Street covered 6,820.6 sq. yds. hotmix installation. We recommend the use of this material in the completion of Middle St.

The New eight ton roller purchased this year has proved to be a valuable asset to our equipment for this work.

A portion of Wessagussett Road was resurfaced with semi-permanent finish. The following street corners were relocated:

Neck and North Streets.
Lake and Charles Streets.
Broad and Spring Streets.

There is still some money available for this work but not a sufficient amount to proceed further this year.

Gutters of Riley Avenue and Burton Terrace were paved with granite blocks. Cost was taken from our general fund. A large culvert was built across Middle Street just south of Washington Street as the old one had collapsed. Another reinforced concrete culvert was installed at the foot of Columbian Street connecting same with culvert running under Park Avenue West.

NEW GRAVEL STREETS

New gravel streets with tar treatment were installed as follows:

Sycamore Road
White Park
Glendale Road
Pierce Road
Drew Avenue
Puritan Road
Woronoco Road

A portion of the proposed sea wall was constructed at North Weymouth starting from the property of the No. Weymouth Associates and running Easterly to Holbrook Road.

SUMMARY OF REGULAR STREET APPROPRIATION

	Appropriated	Expended
Superintendent	\$3,500.00	\$3,438.86
Gen. Repairs	48,000.00	52,034.59
Crusher	5,000.00	1,931.72
Fences & Signs	1,000.00	1,995.58
Maint. Trucks, etc.	3,000.00	4,130.80
Street Cleaning	8,000.00	8,355.37
Equip. & Supplies	7,000.00	8,213.69
Bridges	2,000.00	800.00
Gravel walks	1,500.00	1,613.37
Maint. Dept. Bldg.	2,300.00	2,328.64
Drains	6,000.00	9,924.16
Snow Removal	12,500.00	13,647.19
Sundries	200.00	222.61
Oiling	24,450.00	23,080.29
New Trucks	4,300.00	3,526.00
New roller	4,250.00	4,250.00
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	\$133,000.00	\$139,492.87
Reserve Fund	2,500.00	
Transfer use of equipment	7,230.69	

RESULTS OF LABOR FURNISHED BY UNEMPLOYED

We have installed drains and catch-basins from the brook at the corner of Hollis and Pond Streets, up Pond Street to Lakewood Road, Lakewood Road to Pine Circle; from Pine Circle through private properties, crossing Partridge Road, thence through private properties to Sycamore Road.

It was necessary to work this installation in very deep cut, making it quite expensive.

We also installed drains and catch-basins on Middle Street from a point near Legion Field through to Jewel Meadow discharging at the brook at that point.

The partial construction of Lakehurst Avenue was handled by this organization as was the extension and widening of Iron Hill Street.

Quite an amount of labor was put in on Hibiscus Road redeeming it from a very muddy condition and making it very passable at the present time.

In addition to this work, various streams throughout the Town were cleared of debris and deepened. Also trenches were deepened through the meadows at North Weymouth in order to eliminate mosquito plague.

The last work of the season was the preliminary clearing and grading for the future widening of Winter Street. This work followed directly after preliminary work on Middle Street for the same purpose.

Gravel sidewalks were rebuilt and edges of old walks leveled up by this organization. Other small jobs too numerous to mention were accomplished by this organization also.

In closing my report, may I say, if my work as Street Superintendent has been satisfactory to our citizens, a great percentage of it is due to the hearty cooperation afforded me by our former Street Superintendent, Irving E. Johnson, who gave me, as far as possible, the benefit of his sixteen years experience for the Town.

When he resigned he left with us an organization on the regular pay-roll of well-trained men who have cooperated with us in every way.

I feel I must at this time give great credit to my assistant, John O'Leary, for his hearty cooperation and willingness in furthering the work. I also wish to thank every Town employee in the Town building for the many kindnesses they have extended to me during my first year of office.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR I. NEGUS

Supt. of Streets.

REPORT OF THE SEALER OF WEIGHTS & MEASURES

December, 31, 1931

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of the Town of Weymouth,
Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my annual report for the year 1931 with the sealing fees amounting to \$330.70.

During the year 25 Fish, Fruit and Vegetable licenses were granted at \$10.00 each, 8 Junk licenses at \$25.00 each.

There were five convictions made during the year as follows: three for peddling without a license as required by law, of which two paid fines and the other was placed on file, one for using an unsealed and false scale paid a fine and the other for giving short weight, also paid a fine.

My general work for the year is as follows:

Sealed	3,380 articles
Not Sealed	149 articles
Condemned	19 articles
Gas Pumps	224 articles
Reweighings	321 articles

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES W. BURGESS
Sealer of Weights & Measures.

REPORT OF THE PARK COMMISSIONERS

December, 31, 1931

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of the Town of Weymouth,
Gentlemen:

BEALS PARK

At Beals Park this last year a five foot asphalt walk was put in from Sea Street, to about half way across the Park and we hope that in another year or two we can continue this walk up to Bridge Street; also an asphalt Tennis Court was put in at the lower end of the Park which we intend to fence in this coming summer. There are a number of tennis fans waiting patiently until this is done so they can be some of the first ones to play and we can say that this is the first Municipal Tennis Court in this part of the Town. The band-stand was used each Wednesday night all summer, the concerts being sponsored by the Men's Club of the Pilgrim Church and seemed to be enjoyed by all.

RUFUS CLARK PARK

The grass was kept mowed and the grounds cared for during the summer.

WEYMOUTH HEIGHTS MALL

The grass was kept mowed and a number of the large trees were trimmed up, cutting out a lot of the dead wood, we are recommending that these last two parcels be taken care of under the supervision of the Superintendent of Streets.

WEBB PARK

The usual care of grounds and fences has been attended to and we feel that some money should be spent on the equipment there. But in view of the effort of us all toward economy this matter can wait. The supervised play was carried out very successfully, and a great number of children had the advantage from that district.

WESTON PARK

The usual work was carried on in Weston Park.

The loss of the flower garden on the Washington Street side of the Park has been commented upon in an uncomplimentary manner, because the cost would have been so small and the pleasure to many so great that we hope this item will not be omitted another year.

At a great sacrifice and through the generosity of the Weymouth Asphalt Cement Company and others we were enabled to have one of our Tennis Courts surfaced and made permanent which has been tremendously appreciated by the many lovers of Tennis. And because of the saving by this form of Court we hope to be enabled to have the other Court surfaced that so many more may have the privilege and pleasure of the game. At an overcharged, unsuccessful job of piping the Town Sewer through Weston Park, leaving a space that we hoped to be a safe skating pond for the children, we will be unable to use the pond because of the unsatisfactory way the work was performed by the Street Department. In our desire to give work to the unemployed and others, all we have to show is a bad job which takes care of sewer and street drainage for the Street Department, and which took most of our Park Appropriation to have it done. We would recommend that if the Town cannot furnish competent workmen for this kind of work, that we better not waste the Tax Payer's money in this way.

GOLF

The Park Department appreciating the work of the Golf Committee in the location and final outcome in securing a figure, do recommend that this land be taken for Park purposes where Golf may be developed at the convenience of the Town, and to that end recommend a sufficient sum be raised and appropriated for this purpose.

LOVELL'S CORNER PLAYGROUND

The Lovell's Corner Playground has been kept in good condition the past year.

Although there are some children and older ones that are destructive, we think the children and older boys and girls are to be

commended for the way that our grounds and equipment are used.

Baseball seems to have given way to tennis, and any pleasant night in summer you will find from fifty to one hundred at the different sports and equipment.

A miniature Golf Course has been installed in Hawes Grove at little cost to the Town.

A good share of Hawes Grove has been cleared and in future years will be a great asset to the Town.

Band Concerts were held during the summer under the auspices of The Lovell's Corner Improvement Association. Five evenings a week in the Fall, football practice was held on a lighted field.

A Tennis Court is much needed, also a new foundation for the sixty foot shelter that was put up by the people of Lovell's Corner.

The Park Commissioners feel that the money invested in playgrounds is money invested in life. The popularity of the playground is increasing as the new equipment is added. Tennis at present is the most popular sport, and drastic rules have to be made in order that the time for playing may be equally adjusted. We have five Courts in Town which have been used to capacity. Great Hill with police supervision has been little trouble and much used. There are many features that we feel should be added to our playground work, but we feel that strict economy should be used this year.

It has been our purpose to put as much of our money into labor as possible.

GREAT HILL PARK

A considerable amount of parking area was materialized on the top of the hill this last summer, all the loam being excavated and gravel filling put in making a nice dry area.

A very spectacular bonfire was sponsored by the Veterans of Foreign Wars the night before the fourth on top of the hill which could be witnessed for miles and much credit is due the boys.

The bath house was well patronized last summer and the municipal bathing beach is a very popular place for young and old from all parts of Weymouth, it is not an unusual sight to see 500 bathers on the beach and often times more, there was one day last summer, on August 3rd, when there was an attendance of 900 on the beach and 350 used the bath house lockers. The bath house was open daily from June 5th to September 7th. The Park Commissioners have a record of each day's attendance with the weather conditions if any citizen would like to see it.

Jackson Square Plot has been kept mowed, and water installed on the grounds.

We believe these small plots should be in the hands of the Street Department.



WEYMOUTH'S PUBLIC BATHING BEACH

LAKE STREET PLAYGROUND

These grounds were graded and the summer house painted. A good float should be added to our equipment here.

STETSON'S FIELD

Some repairing and replacement of parts on the equipment was done this year.

POND PLAIN PLAYGROUND

The Pond Plain Playground is much appreciated by the children and young people in the community.

The enclosure for the Tennis Court, the new Summer House, and the painting of the equipment was money well spent.

BAILEY GREEN

Bailey Green has been kept in good condition and one new bed of Evergreens planted.

PARK AVENUE SKATING PARK

The Leary and Bauer Meadow was cleared of grass and rushes.

One hundred and fifty feet of cement wall was built on the street line and a dam installed.

One hundred and fifty feet more wall should be built this year and the meadow should be ditched.

FRANCIS W. REA

JOSEPH KELLEY

CHARLES W. BURGESS, Clerk

Park Commissioners.

REPORT OF PLAYGROUNDS

Weymouth Playgrounds opened on June 29th and closed August 6th making a term of six weeks. Many activities are crowded into the short season. Each playground has a special activity day every week. These include doll carriage, cart and costume parades, athletic events and an exhibition at the end of the season.

The attendance this year was exceptionally good. The total of the first weeks attendance was 4,696 children attending all playgrounds. Lake Street Playground led all the others with a high total of 1,493 children for the week ending July 31. The following figures are interesting to note:

Year	Attendance opening day
1928	530
1929	1,386
1930	1,498
1931	1,734

There are two more playgrounds this year than in 1928.

The inter-playground games consisting of volley-ball, baseball, quoits, paddle tennis and tennis were very popular. There seems to be great rivalry and keen competition between the various playgrounds.

This year the Junior baseball championship was won by Bicknell and the Senior by Lake Street. They were awarded the Lions Club and Playground Trophies.

The girls volley-ball championship went to Beals Park.

The Athletic Badge Tests are a set of tests and requirements given out by the Playground and Recreation Association of America.

Athletic Badge Tests for Girls were:

1st Test—Balancing on 12 foot beam, 1 knee bend;

2nd Test—Book on head and 1 knee bend;

3rd Test—Book on head and 3 knee bends, hands on hips;

Second Test: 50 yard dash—8 seconds, 2nd 7 $\frac{3}{5}$, 3rd 7 $\frac{1}{5}$ seconds.

Basketball Throw: 35 feet, 2nd 45 ft., 3rd 55 ft.; Fourth: Volley Ball serve 2 in 5 trials, 2nd 3 in 6 trials, 3rd 3 in 5 trials.

Athletic Tests for boys were:

1st Chinning—(Boy 12 or under) 6 times; 2nd Standing Broad Jump—5 ft., 9 inches, (12 or under) 6 ft., 6 inches (Boys 12 up to high); 3rd 600 yd. dash—9 seconds (12 and under) 8 seconds; 4th Baseball Throw—130 feet. (12 up to high) 190 feet.

Third Test for boys of High School Age:

Chinning—9 times; Running High Jump—4 ft., 4 inches; 3rd 100 dard dash—12 $\frac{3}{5}$ seconds; Baseball Throw—220 feet.

Those passing the tests were:

Eleanor Brayshaw, Irene Noble, Margaret McCulloch, Jenny Lilla, Mary Byrne, Mary Brown, Esthia Burke, Ida Ohman, Albinia Gailus.

Ernest Fisher, Frank DiLorenzo, Martin Rinaldo, Herbert Brown, Thomas Picarro, Arthur Dexheimer, Elston Dunbar, Leonard Rubolino, Michael Striano, John Zeoli, Thomas Sparta, Joseph Pomarico. Betty Condon, Louise Tormey, Mary Harrington, Evelyn Gorham, Alice Tirrell, Marjorie Doble, Muriel Doble, Ellen Sjoberg, Florence Condrick, Anna Murphy.

Earl Maxwell, James Stevens, Francis Callahan, Eugene Duncan, Charles Marsh, Carlton Wing, Roger Gorham, William Noble, William Hynes, Samuel Burns, John Frazier, Walter Williamson, Alexander McDonald, Guido DiGravion, Thomas McNamara, Bernard Sjoberg and Burton Poole.

Novelty Athletic Contests were held on each ground. Two teams the Red and Blue competing.

Events were:

Boys—Elephant Walk, Camel Walk, Wheelbarrow Race, Leap Frog, Eskimo Roll, Potato Race, Rooster Fight, Horse Race and Horse Fight.

Girls—Balancing book on head (20 yards), Shuffle Relay, Deep knee bending, Backward Race and Three Legged Race.

The Annual Paddle Tennis Tournament was held at Stetson Field. This field affords an ideal place for the event. Final champion matches were between the following:

Junior Girls—Lovells vs. Weston: 3 to 1 in favor of Lovells.
 Contestants: Catherine Reid and Muriel Doble—Lovells
 Mary Berry and Dorothy O'Connor—Weston

Senior Girls—Beals vs. Bicknell: 3 to 1 in favor of Beals
 Contestants: Eleanor Brayshaw and Kathleen Mathewson—Beals
 Maude Hunt and Frances O'Leary—Bicknell

Junior Boys—Weston vs. Webb: 3 to 1 in favor of Weston
 Contestants: Daniel Clancy, Jr. and Walter Williamson—Weston
 Edward Duncan and Roger Gorham—Webb

Senior Boys—Bicknell vs. Beals: 3 to 0 in favor of Beals
 Contestants: William Boudreau and Thomas Bleakney—Beals
 Anthony Guiduci and William Leary—Bicknell

Through the co-operation of Tufts Library it was possible to have reading periods. Seven boxes of books were kept in rotation of the different grounds enabling those who wished to read to do so and were given credit for same.

Handwork is always popular. Many children painted flower pots with pretty designs, bead work, embroidery, basket work, silk braided mats and oil cloth pillows and door stops.

During the closing week each ground held a party day. Refreshments were served, games played and the handwork made during the playground session placed on exhibition.

The picnics at North Weymouth Beach are always well attended. The children are taken by bus and arrive at an early hour with lunch box and bathing suit in hand. After a day of games and water sports they come home tired but happy.

Please accept my sincere thanks for the splendid support of the parents, the Lions Club for donating a baseball trophy and the Weymouth Gazette and Transcript for their generosity in giving paper space for reports and notices.

Respectfully submitted,

EVERETT J. McINTOSH

Director of Playgrounds.

REPORT OF THE REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of the Town of Weymouth,
Gentlemen:

The Board of Registrars of Voters respectfully submit the following report:

The total number of registered voters at the close of registration on the last date of registration April 9, 1931.

Precinct	1	Male	748	Female	645	Total	1,393
"	2	"	624	"	512	"	1,136
"	3	"	861	"	788	"	1,649
"	4	"	335	"	275	"	610
"	5	"	907	"	926	"	1,833
"	6	"	687	"	618	"	1,305
"	7	"	328	"	279	"	607
"	8	"	256	"	239	"	495
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			4,746		4,282		9,028

EDWARD P. MURPHY, Chairman
JOHN F. REARDON
JOSEPH CREHAN
CLAYTON B. MERCHANT, Clerk

REPORT OF TOWN ENGINEER

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of the Town of Weymouth,
Gentlemen:—

My twenty-fifth annual report on surveying and engineering, covering the work done for the Town in 1931 is submitted herewith.

The yearly revision of the Assessors' maps was continued, the usual routine surveying work for various departments of the Town attended to and also special work ordered by your Board, or by other Town officials was done during the year.

All of the work, supplies and expenses necessary or appurtenant to the complete revision of the 65 Assessors' maps for an entire year ending April first is charged to the appropriation for the Town survey work.

This work includes copying all transfers, tax titles, takings or releases; measuring and locating all new buildings; measuring all material exterior additions to existing buildings; noting the elimination from any cause of the whole or part of any existing building; locating all new streets and land subdivisions either from surveys or otherwise; and obtaining any other data of interest or assistance to the Assessors in their assessment of taxes.

All of the above is entered on the maps, the necessary erasures, changes and additions being made thereon.

In the revision for the year ending April 1, 1931 about 1200 transfers, takings or releases, and about 45 probates were copied; about 70 dwellings, 165 other taxable buildings and approximately 130 exterior changes in existing buildings measured and located; and each one entered or plotted on the maps.

The municipal buildings entered on the maps included the new Central Fire Station at East Weymouth, and an addition to the Bicknell School at North Weymouth.

The method of revising the office tracings by erasures, etc., has been explained in many previous reports; as the entries are made in ink in order that proper negatives and subsequent prints from these negatives may be taken, it is apparent that the tracings will have to be renewed from time to time.

While the transfers and new buildings are fairly evenly distributed each year throughout the entire Town, it is obvious that those sheets which cover the more thickly populated portions of Weymouth will show the most wear and require the earlier replacements. Also those sheets on which the various land company developments are situated show yearly wear owing to constantly changing ownership either through sales in prosperous times or mortgage foreclosures in times of depression.

However there have been less than one-half dozen sheets replaced as yet, two of which were redrawn the past year.

A set of corrected prints from negatives taken of the revised tracings is furnished the Assessors and by means of these negatives the Town is able to furnish at cost a print of any or all of these maps to anyone who may desire same. Some of these prints are sold each year.

I am glad at any time to go over any deed or plan which is brought to my office by any one who thinks it may assist in locating a boundary line which we have been unable to definitely fix on the maps.

Also I hope that anyone holding an unrecorded deed will place the same on record, as we are obliged to show the owner of record on the maps.

An appropriation of \$500. was made as in former years for the purchase and setting of stone bounds on existing Town streets and this has been utilized in setting bounds on street angles or points of curvature which it was necessary to establish by stakes on the ground in the course of work done for other purposes, thus saving the cost of a special subsequent staking for the stone bounds.

The appropriation for the Town survey work during several years past has been \$2,500. and as stated above on bounds \$500. or a total of \$3,000.

I would recommend that they be combined the coming year and that an aggregate appropriation of \$3,000. which is the same as heretofore be made to cover both items.

During 1931 over 150 stone bounds for which special provision was made were set on the new streets and takings or widenings laid out at the March meeting of that year. These included Puritan Road, Sycamore Road, White Park, Pierce Road, Mt. Vernon Street East, Mt. Vernon Street West, Mt. Ida Road, Woronoco Road, Lakehurst Avenue, Drew Avenue, Glendale Avenue, Iron Hill Street and on six corner junctions. In addition several old bounds which were in danger of being lost through grading operations or otherwise were reset.

During the past three years \$500. has been appropriated each year for the expense of surveying various cemeteries and making plans of same on which should be shown the location of the graves of the Veterans of all wars. Many of these plans have been finished and prints furnished your Board. Others are in process of construction, and some if not all can be finished this year.

No money is recommended by your Board for 1932, but I hope that the larger cemeteries will be completed with the money still available.

Perhaps the most outstanding special work ordered by your Board was a survey and plan showing a proposed widening or relocation of Broad Street with a width of 66 feet extending from Central Square to Jackson Square, and while two new structures have been built or are in process of construction, near Jackson Square in which the fronts of the buildings are on the present line, I understand that in each case an agreement with the Town has been recorded that when and if such a widening is made the fronts will be moved back to the proposed line and that the Town will be under no expense therefor, or for the land taken.

Routine work covered the following: giving street lines for abutments; giving lines and grades for curbs; giving lines and grades for sidewalks; taking street profiles; staking line and giving grades on Winter Street, on Middle Street, etc., for the work of the welfare department; staking and giving grades for the new streets accepted by the Town; surveys and plans of proposed streets and relocations of corner junctions as requested by your Board; staking and giving grades for sea wall at Fore River; lines and grades for culvert at Columbian Street; lines and grades for major street drains, such as in the Great Pond Park section, at Central Street, at Middle Street, and at Neck Street; together with other minor drains; surveys and plans of drain easements; surveys of cemeteries; and other work, all of which was done under instructions from your Board or from the Superintendent of Streets; topographical survey and plan, design for grading, and staking and giving grades at the Bicknell School; topographical survey and plan of the site of the proposed school building at Weymouth Heights; staking and grades for a drain at the Nevin School; staking and grades at Legion Field, all for the School Department or for a specially appointed Committee; surveys and staking at Great Hill Park, Weston Park, Beals Park and elsewhere for the Park Department; topographical survey and plan at the site of the proposed water tower at North Weymouth, and staking the water tower; surveys of land takings around Great Pond, these latter under instructions from the Superintendent of the Water Department; surveys and attendance at Court; and a survey and preliminary plan made for the Planning Board of a suggested thoroughfare over West Street and Middle Street from the Braintree-Weymouth Town line to Central Square.

To your Board, to all Town officials and to many other citizens of the Town, I wish in closing to extend my thanks for the courtesy shown and assistance rendered both to me and to my assistants in our work throughout the Town.

Respectfully submitted,

RUSSELL H. WHITING

Civil Engineer.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of the Town of Weymouth:

I am pleased to submit to you, and through you, to the citizens of Weymouth, my annual report of the Taxes and Interest collected by me, as Collector of Taxes, during the year 1931. These collections, as made and paid over to the Town Treasurer, apply to the several lists as committed to me for the years 1929, 1930 and 1931, and include assessments of Real and Personal property, Moth, Sidewalk, Polls, Old Age Assistance and Motor Vehicle Excise.

1929 TAXES

Balance Outstanding Jan. 1, 1931 (Includes all 1929 Taxes	\$29,354.60	
Interest Charged and Collected during 1931;		
Personal and Real Estate	\$1,903.06	
Motor Vehicle Excise	42.44	
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Special Re-assessments:		
Feb. 1931—Personal	\$201.02	
Apr. 1931—Real Estate	14.70	
July 1931—Real Estate	49.00	
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Total		<hr/> \$31,564.82
Less Collection on 1929 Taxes:		
Personal and Real Estate	\$25,757.80	
Moth	29.50	
Motor Vehicle Excise	274.53	
Interest on Above	1,945.50	
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Total	\$28,007.33	
Less Abatements on 1929 Taxes:		
Personal and Real Estate	\$2,491.09	
Moth	5.00	
Motor Vehicle Excise	1,061.40	
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Total	\$3,557.49	
Total Collection and Abatements		\$31,564.82
Balance Outstanding December 31, 1931		<hr/> None

1930 TAXES

Balance Outstanding Jan. 1, 1931 (Includes all 1930 Taxes)	\$337,301.18	
Interest charged and Collected during 1931:		
Personal and Real Estate	\$10,612.46	
Motor Vehicle Excise	441.55	
Polls	4.35	
	<hr/>	11,058.36

Special Re-assessments :

Apr. 1931—Real Estate	\$ 71.50	
July 1931—Personal	275.00	
	<hr/>	346.50
Commitment No. 5 on 1930 Motor Vehicle Excise		36.74
Additional Charge on Commitment (Real Estate)		.25
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Total		\$348,743.03

Less Collection on 1930 Taxes;

Personal and Real Estate	\$277,987.23
Moth	499.25
Motor Vehicle Excise	15,332.41
Polls	152.00
Interest on above	11,058.36

Total	\$305,029.25
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Less Abatements on 1930 Taxes;

Personal and Real Estate	\$6,983.83
Moth	8.75
Sidewalk	8.76
Motor Vehicle Excise	2,033.15
Polls	180.00

Total	\$9,214.49
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Total Abatements and Collections	314,243.74
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Balance Outstanding December 31, 1931	\$34,499.29
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Summary :

Personal and Real Estate	\$34,161.04
Motor Vehicle Excise	338.25

Total	\$34,499.29
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1931 TAXES

Commitments to Collector:

Polls :

June 25, 1931	\$12,986.00	
Dec. 10, 1931	124.00	
	<hr/>	\$13,110.00

Old Age Assistance:

June 25, 1931	\$6,555.00	
Dec. 10, 1931	61.00	
	<hr/>	\$6,616.00

Personal and Real Estate:

Oct. 13, 1931	\$1,126,407.86	
Dec. 17, 1931	138.83	
Dec. 21, 1931	164.90	
	<hr/>	\$1,126,711.59

Moth:		
Oct. 13, 1931		\$1,734.65
Sidewalk:		
Oct. 13, 1931		\$11.00
Motor Vehicle Excise:		
April 1, 1931	\$26,013.77	
Sept. 15, 1931	18,268.87	
Dec. 1, 1931	3,590.40	
	<hr/>	\$47,873.04
Total of all 1931 Commitments		\$1,196,056.28
Add Interest Charged and Collected:		
Personal and Real Estate	\$366.31	
Motor Vehicle Excise	185.28	
Polls	9.73	
	<hr/>	561.32
	Total	<hr/> \$1,196,617.60
Less Collection on 1931 Taxes:		
Personal and Real Estate	\$840,717.75	
Moth	1,224.40	
Sidewalk	11.00	
Motor Vehicle	38,817.75	
Polls	11,872.00	
Old Age Assistance	6,016.00	
Interest on Above	561.32	
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	Total	\$899,220.22
Less Abatements on 1931 Taxes:		
Personal and Real Estate	\$3,085.64	
Motor Vehicle Excise	1,563.56	
Polls	354.00	
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	Total	\$5,003.20
Total Collections and Abatements		<hr/> 904,223.42
Balance Outstanding December 31, 1931		<hr/> \$292,394.18
Summary:		
Personal and Real Estate	\$283,418.45	
Motor Vehicle Excise	7,491.73	
Polls	884.00	
Old Age Assistance	600.00	
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		\$292,394.18

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK W. HOLBROOK

Collector of Taxes.

ESTIMATE OF CONSTRUCTION OF A 9 HOLE GOLF COURSE

December 11, 1931

Mr. Joseph P. Kelley,
 Park Commissioner,
 Chairman Golf Committee
 Weymouth, Mass.

Dear Mr. Kelley:-

In accordance with your request, we are submitting an approximate estimate for the construction of the 9 hole golf course for the Town of Weymouth.

APPROXIMATE ESTIMATE

Grass seed for Fairways	\$1,250.00	
Fertilizer for Fairways	600.00	
Grass seed for Greens	900.00	
Fertilizer for Greens	50.00	\$2,800.00
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Water pipe for water system		1,000.00
Gas and oil and repairs		800.00
Tools and Equipment		2,500.00
Drain tile for drainage system		1,000.00
Team hire		1,200.00
Supt of construction		1,200.00
Professional Fee for design and supervision		2,000.00
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		\$12,500.00
Amount for Labor		\$11,000.00

If unemployed labor is used add 10% to labor item.

If partial time unemployed labor is used as described below, add another 8% to the labor item.

The above figures include the purchase of a couple of tractors, which will have a salvage value at the end of the job of from \$500.00 to \$1,000.00. That amount, of course could be deducted from the total cost. You will note that we have added a 10% increase to the labor item if the unemployed labor is used. It has been our experience with the seven municipal courses that we have built this year, where the unemployed have been used, intermittently on the job, that it will cost about 8% more than the 10% stated above. By this I mean that, for example on Monday we might have ten men, on Tuesday 25 and on Wednesday 15, etc. In other words, the work was so doled out to the men that it did not give us a consistent working force for the entire period of construction. Naturally, the men do not become accustomed to the work in this way and it is bound to cost more.

The wages paid for the welfare help in the various cities varies from \$2.50 per day to \$3.00 per day, but where regular laborers are employed from the start of the job to the finish a higher sum is paid, which is the prevailing wage rate of all laborers in the vicinity, usually around \$4.00 per day.

We have had this unemployed labor on practically every municipal job we have done this year and they have handled the work in good fashion but it naturally takes longer or needs more men to do the same work. We feel that it would be wise to have a time-keeper employed on the job in order to keep accurate account of the expenditures. This of course has been included in the labor figure.

If we have not included all the cost items you desire or if you have any further questions in regard to the methods of using the unemployed on other jobs, please do not hesitate to inquire from us further as we will be more than pleased to assist you in any way we can.

Yours very truly,

HERVEY F. LAW

Stiles and Van Kleck, Inc.

GOLF COMMITTEE REPORT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

We respectfully submit this report to you and to the Citizens of the Town, our findings in the subject matter of Golf.

For three years we have labored to bring before the people a comprehensive understanding, and to the best of our opinion and judgment the needs and value of such a project to the Town. And to that end we submit the following:

Location—At Weymouth Heights on Green Street, starting at a point just beyond the Gravel Pit, and extending on both sides including the property owned by Mr. Jones, Mr. Thompson and others. Extending back to the south to the land owned by the United States Government, comprising in all some one hundred and ten (110) acres more or less. Beautifully adapted for Park purposes and Golf.

In order to arrive at a price which was the command of the Town to your committee, it was necessary that this land be condemned and a Commission appointed by the Court to place a value upon this property. This whole matter was taken care of by our Law Department through our Town Counsel, and through the very successful handling of this project a price was fixed at \$25,985.00,

including two houses on Mr. Thompson's property which your committee feel is a very reasonable price and should be accepted by the Town. We presume that the details of these findings will be submitted to the Town by the Law Department.

The subject of developing the Golf Course at this time, your committee leave entirely with the wishes of our citizens.

However, we find after very carefully going into the matter of Municipal Golf, and under the statistical information from the United States Golf Association, we find that there is not a single instance where a Municipal Golf Course has not been self supporting from the very start. And to that end and realization that work must be procured for our unemployed, we have secured from the Architect, figures which we are enclosing of the approximated estimate for the construction of the first nine holes, showing how much of this work could be used for labor by our unemployed.

We are asking that articles be inserted in the warrant for the purchase of this land, and also for the building of the first nine holes. We feel that the loss of purchasing this land at this time would be a very serious mistake, and recommend unanimously that it be purchased. If the citizens feel that building of the first nine holes have got virtue enough to give to our unemployed work, properly supervised, then we heartily endorse the building of these nine holes at once. If on the other hand our Honorable Appropriation Committee in their judgment feel that this is not the proper time, then we, your committee think that their decision and the citizens decision is the proper thing to carry out.

We have worked and studied this proposition from every angle and feel sure that the Town will never regret going forward in a project we feel will be self supporting and more, and give to our citizens a very reasonable chance for healthful and wholesome recreation.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH KELLEY
STANLEY HEALD
JOHN W. HEFFERNAN
CHARLES E. STILES
PATRICK J. DERRIG
HENRY TILDEN
GEORGE W. PERRY

Golf Committee.

ASSESSORS' REPORT FOR 1931

East Weymouth, Mass.

January 11, 1932

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

We have assessed upon the polls, old age assistance, motor vehicle excise and estates of all persons liable to taxation, the sum of \$1,196,704.24 and have committed the same to Frank W. Holbrook, Esq., the duly elected Collector of Taxes, with our warrants in due form of law, for the collections and payments, in accordance with the votes of the Town and warrants of the County of Norfolk and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Commitment February 3, 1931	\$201.02	
Commitment February 6, 1931	36.74	
Commitment April 1, 1931	26,013.77	
Commitment April 1, 1931	86.20	
Commitment June 25, 1931	12,986.00	
Commitment June 25, 1931	6,555.00	
Commitment July 21, 1931	275.00	
Commitment July 21, 1931	49.00	
Commitment September 25, 1931	18,268.87	
Commitment October 13, 1931	1,128,153.51	
Commitment December 1, 1931	3,590.40	
Commitment December 10, 1931	61.00	
Commitment December 10, 1931	124.00	
Commitment December 17, 1931	138.83	
Commitment December 21, 1931	164.90	\$1,196,704.24

Divided as follows:

Real Estate	868,528.43	
Personal Estate	258,794.38	
Motor Vehicle Excise	47,909.78	
Old Age Assistance	6,616.00	
Poll	13,110.00	
Moth	1,734.65	
Sidewalk	11.00	\$1,196,704.24

STATE LIABILITIES

State Tax, Chap. 461, Acts 1931	\$43,050.00
Metropolitan Parks Tax, Chap 92 G. L. Sec. 54, 55, 56, 57, 58 and 59	29,226.03
State Highway Tax, Sec. 16, Chap. 81 G. L.	2,676.50
Charles River Basin Tax, Chap. 92 G. L. Sec. 54, 55, 56, 57, 58 and 59	5,572.63

Auditing Municipal Accounts, Sec. 41, Chap. 44 G. L.	2,166.42
Metropolitan Planning Tax, Chap. 399, Acts 1923	151.87
Abatement Smoke Nuisance, Chap. 301, Acts 1928	736.80
Care for Veterans, Chap. 340, Acts 1929	240.00
West Roxbury-Brookline Parkway Chap. 420, Acts 1930	51.89
Broadway-Revere Beach Parkway Crossing Chap. 420, Acts 1930	351.74
Canterbury Street Highway, Chap. 420, Acts 1930	22.77
Southern Traffic Route, Chap. 330, Acts 1925	18.18
Ways in Malden, Braintree, Weymouth and Hingham Chap. 364, Acts 1929	477.77
Metropolitan Parks District Assessment	
Ways in Malden, Braintree, Weymouth and Hingham Chap. 364, Acts 1929	20,477.72
Direct Assessment	
Old Age Assistance, Chap. 398, Acts 1931	6,555.00
Total	<u>\$111,775.32</u>

COUNTY LIABILITIES

County Tax, Chap. 396, Acts 1931	\$52,424.48
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MISCELLANEOUS

To satisfy final judgment	\$2,031.75
Norfolk Superior Court—November 26, 1930—No. 19934	

EXPENDITURES AUTHORIZED BY TOWN OF WEYMOUTH to be provided in the tax levy of 1931.

Authorized at the Annual Town Meeting—March 2 and 4, 1931:

Appropriation Committee	\$600.00
Selectmen's Department	9,563.90
Town Accountant's Department	6,000.00
Town Treasurer's Department	2,467.70
Tax Collector's Department	8,011.72
Assessor's Department	10,470.00
Town Counsel's Department	6,150.00
Town Clerk's Department	4,060.00
Elections, Registrations, Registrars	1,954.00
Engineering Department	5,825.00
Planning Board	500.00
Maintenance of Town Hall, War Memorials, etc.	8,525.00
Civil War Monument and King Phillip	200.00
Police Department	72,510.00

Fire Department		64,290.78
Hydrant Service		16,500.00
Building Inspector's Department		3,250.00
Gypsy and other Insect Pests		8,320.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures		1,600.00
Shade Trees		2,200.00
Street Lighting		37,989.00
Harbor Master		275.00
Board of Health		10,800.00
Employment of Nurses		2,000.00
Maintenance of Norfolk County Hospital		10,810.95
Collection of Garbage		11,000.00
Charities	\$79,870.00	
Addition for providing work	25,000.00	104,870.00
State and Military Aid, Soldiers Relief and Burials		17,000.00
Old Age Assistance		1,000.00
Pensions		912.50
Highway Department		110,500.00
Removal of Snow		10,000.00
Permanent construction of streets		25,000.00
Permanent construction of sidewalks		21,250.00
Support of Schools		430,700.00
Tufts Library and branches		21,505.00
Fogg Library Reading Room		1,500.00
Memorial Day		900.00
Parks and Playgrounds		10,715.00
Miscellaneous expenses		2,185.00
Unpaid Bills		3,116.34
Overdrafts		3,651.45
Alewife Fishery		500.00
Care of Soldiers' Graves		1,000.00
Care of old Cemeteries		1,500.00
Continuation of survey of Cemeteries		500.00
Interest and Discount		62,000.00
Retirement of Bonds and Notes		81,858.00
Municipal Insurance Fund		5,000.00
Overdue Fire Insurance		1,800.00
Reserve Fund		25,000.00
Working and easements of streets		14,258.00
Relocation of street corners		870.00
Work for private parties, Street Department		1,000.00
Regrading & Curbing grass plot between Main-Front Sts.		820.00
Construction Sea Wall, Fore River Avenue		8,500.00
Construction Putnam St. west side, junction Lafayette Ave.		250.00

Providing quarters Weymouth Post 79, American Legion	600.00
Providing quarters Wessagusett Post 1379, Vet. Foreign Wars	600.00
Further work Legion Memorial Field	4,000.00
Taking land Church Street, school purposes, Whitman Lot	3,000.00
Plans and bids for School building, Church Street	1,500.00
Construction Lunch Room, rear High School	15,000.00
New booths, etc.	100.00
Court proceedings, abatement nuisance Fore River	2,000.00
New Squad Truck for Fire Department	5,200.00
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	\$1,307,534.34

Authorized as Special Town Meeting—July 13, 1931:

Soldiers' Relief	\$6,000.00
Charities	52,000.00
Public Work	8,000.00
Street Department	10,000.00
Plot—Front and Main Streets	360.00
Unpaid Bills	126.00
Water Tank—Edison Plant	12,000.00
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	\$88,486.00

CREDITS

Estimated Receipts:

Income Tax	\$131,055.65
Corporation Tax	97,074.64
National Bank Tax	453.10
Trust Company Tax	1,866.77
Licenses and Permits	2,500.00
Fines and Forfeits	700.00
Grants and Gifts	18,211.93
Dog Licenses	2,467.43
Moth Taxes	1,800.00
Motor Vehicle Tax	44,500.02
General Government	3.00
Fire	24.00
Inspection	400.00
Health	1,097.13
Highways	600.00
Charities	20,000.00
Soldiers' Benefits	2,500.00
Schools	4,000.00
Libraries	600.00
Public Service Ent.	314.50
Interest	10,282.10
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	\$340,450.27

Summary 1931 Account

Appropriations :

March 2 and 4, 1931	\$1,307,534.34	
July 13, 1931	88,486.00	
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State Liabilities		111,775.32
County Liabilities		52,424.48
To satisfy final judgment		2,031.75
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		\$1,562,251.89

Credits

Estimated Receipts	\$340,450.27
Poll Taxes previously committed	12,986.00
Old Age Assistance Tax	6,555.00
Highway Offset	15,008.73
Free Cash	75,000.00
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	\$450,000.00
Balance	\$1,112,251.89

Valuation of the Town of Weymouth

Tax Rate for 1931

Real and Personal	\$24.25
Motor Vehicle Excise	29.25

Valuation for 1931

Real and Personal	\$46,499,105	
Motor Vehicle Excise	1,923,558	
Number of Polls assessed June 25, 1931	6493	
Number of Polls assessed December 10, 1931	62	6,555
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Total number of Polls assessed		6,555
Number of autos assessed April 1, 1931	3356	
Number of autos assessed Sept. 15, 1931	2992	
Number of autos assessed Dec. 1, 1931	874	
Number of autos assessed Feb. 6, 1931	18	
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Total number of autos assessed		7,240
Number of Polls exempted by law or otherwise		74
Number of residents assessed on property		6106
Number of non-residents assessed on property		2440
Number of horses assessed		90
Number of cows assessed		344

Number of sheep assessed	56
Number of other cattle assessed	8
Number of swine assessed	10
Number of fowl assessed	8560
Number of dwelling houses assessed	7342
Number of acres of land assessed	8892

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN F. DWYER
RICHARD HALLORAN
CHARLES W. BURGESS
HARRY E. BEARCE
OTIS B. TORREY

Assessors of Weymouth.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF APPEAL

East Weymouth, Mass.

December 31, 1931

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The Board of Appeal has rendered decisions on many applications presented to them for changes inconsistent with the requirements of the building laws, the most important of which were for stores built on Broad Street near Jackson Square by Celia Kaiser Berned Zelman for the Economy and First National Stores respectively.

Section 727 of the Town by-laws, which imposes an 18-foot set back, allows the Selectmen to permit a first or second class building in a business district to be built at a less distance than 18 feet from the street on unanimous recommendation of the Board of Appeal, but goes on to provide that "no such recommendation shall be given if such erection would damage neighboring property or interfere with any plans then pending or under consideration for the development or widening of the way on which said building is located." In connection with the proposed widening of Broad Street, the Board of Appeal in the latter part of July was faced with the situation where the Economy Stores had purchased a piece of land and were on the point of demolishing the old building and under the provisions of the by-laws might have been compelled to set back their building 18 feet behind the line of the buildings on such side. Obviously this would place the occupant of such a store at a great disadvantage as compared with his neighbors and yet the very purpose of the by-laws was to prevent people, in anticipation of a public improvement, erecting buildings which, if the improvement under

contemplation is ever carried out, will subject the Town to a heavy liability for damages. Although at the time this case came up, the Town Counsel was in a hospital for an operation, he devised a plan by which the owner would be allowed to build out to the present street line on signing an agreement to waive damages on the building in case the Town widens the street. The Economy Stores gladly acceded to this arrangement and offered to waive damages not only on the building but on the land as well in consideration of the value to them of the permission to build to the present line, and an agreement was accordingly executed to this effect. A few months later a similar application and agreement was made by Mr. Zelman, who is erecting the building to be occupied by the First National Stores. The plan thus devised will be of the greatest importance to the Town, and establishes a precedent of great public utility. Not only in the case of Broad Street, whose widening is now under consideration, but in the case of other streets where similar conditions may exist in the future, if abutters are to be allowed to build out to the street line without restriction the expense of ever making any general widening of our main business thoroughfares will be prohibitive. By the above plan, the abutter when he erects his building can plan so that when the street is widened the subsequent changes will cause him a minimum of inconvenience and expense; he is not placed at a disadvantage while waiting for the street to be widened; the extra income which he will get from the building while waiting for the street to be widened will, in most cases, more than compensate for the cost of altering the building to conform to the widening; and the Town will be able to make the widening at comparatively small expense. If this policy is adhered to, much of the property on Broad Street will in the natural course of events eventually be covered by similar agreements and by waiting a few years the widening, which would unquestionably benefit the business property on Broad Street, can be made without subjecting the Town to prohibitive expense or the abutters to betterments which would cripple them financially.

We recommend that these agreements be approved and that the Board of Selectmen be authorized to make similar agreements in any future cases which may arise.

Herewith is a summary of the records of the Board:

Applications approved	75
Applications conditionally approved	17
Applications partially approved	2
Applications disapproved	25

Respectfully submitted,

RUSSELL H. WHITING

Secretary of Board.

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen,

Gentlemen:

I wish to submit the annual report of the activities of the Fire Department during the year ending December 31st, 1931.

This period has been an exceedingly busy one in so far as building fires being encountered. The alarms for fires are steadily increasing, and at times tax the Department to the utmost to overcome some trying conditions. Although the alarms for dwellings and other buildings have shown a decided increase, no one great loss has been experienced, which in itself speaks highly for the efficient work of the Department.

The amount of insurance losses have been considerably reduced, and due to the judicious and quick use of the salvage covers in this type of fire, the amount of damage by fire and water has decreased almost to a minimum.

It is hoped that by continuing the use of such equipment as has been added, that other losses will be averted.

The amount of property protected during fires is as follows:

	Buildings	Contents	Totals
Amount of insurance	\$1,359,950.00	\$173,800.00	\$1,533,750.00
Amount of insurance losses	27,928.06	7,145.88	35,073.94
Loss per Capita	2.05	4.11	2.29

During the year the Department has answered a total of 449 alarms for fires, together with 26 emergency calls, making a total of 475 calls responded to divided as follows:

Box alarms	155
Telephone	123
Still	171
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	449
Emergency calls	26
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	475

Automobiles	27	Gasolene on Street	1
Barns	9	Gasolene Station	1
Bonfires	1	Grass and Woods	221
Bridges	1	Laundry	2
Chimney	20	Lumber Piles	1
Coal and Grain Sheds	3	Peat Bog	1
Dumps	47	Rubbish	4
Dwellings	71	Sheds	6
Electric light pole	1	Shops	2
False	20	Stores	4
Freight Cars	2	Tar Barrell	1
Garages	2	Yacht Clubs	2

ALARMS ANSWERED AND EQUIPMENT USED AT FIRES

	Chief's Car	Engine 1	Engine 2	Engine 3	Engine 5	Squad	Ladder 1	Ladder 2	Forest Truck No. 3	Forest Truck No. 5	Totals
Alarms responded to,	449	136	188	103	56	214	49	132	139	89	449
Emergency calls,	26	3			1	11	7	4		1	26
Hours pumped at fires,		11	7	9	11	7					35
Hose laid, 2½ inch,		29,650	19,200	16,400	14,050	43,500			21,400	23,900	168,100 ft.
Forest Fire Hose,		1,350	1,150	900		9,550			11,800	7,600	32,350 ft.
Booster Hose,		7,800	9,400	5,400	3,900	2,800					29,300 ft.
Ladders Raised,				15	62	184	601	1,243			2,105 ft.
Salvage Covers Spread,						58		9			67
Hand Phomene Exting.,		1	1		1						3
Hand Soda and Acid,			1			1					2
Pyrene Extinguishers,			4			9					5
Carbon Di-Oxide,						1	9				9
Chimney Fusees,		5				1					15
Cellar Pipe,						1					1
Lighting Generator,						16					16
Inhalator,						5					5
Cellar Syphons,									33	63	96

The Department has been called upon to act in various emergencies throughout the year such as aiding in accidents, etc. It is my desire to have a Department so equipped as to be able and willing to render efficient aid and assistance to the citizens of the Town, at any hour of the day or night, in time of need, regardless of the situation which may confront it.

Emergency calls responded to:

Flushing street after accidents	2
Install halyards on flagpoles	3
Rescue cats from trees	6
Rescue dog from ice	1
Rescue horse caught in stall	1
Rescue man from bathroom	1
Rescue man from water	1
Rescue parrott from tree	1
Search for lost children	4
Take bees from dwelling	1
To use Inhalator	
to relieve suffering in pneumonia sickness	2
to save girl from drowning	1
to save boy from drowning	1
to save new born baby	1

Inspections Made and Permits Issued

A great amount of additional duties have been added to the routine of the Department due to the necessity of obtaining a permit by all who desire to keep range or fuel oil upon their premises, also the certifying of each application to erect a private or public garage. Upon receiving these applications a personal inspection must be made of the location, and the necessary requirements have to be met with previous to granting such premits.

Inspections have been made in view of Fire Prevention and much good has been accomplished. It is my desire that every citizen will take upon himself to further advance this work by a thorough cleaning up of his property.

A large number of new hydrants have been added to the water systems through the cooperation of Supt. Stevens of the Water Department and has aided greatly in the quick extinguishing of fires.

Inspections Made

Garages, (Private)	165
Garages, (Public)	22
Installation of Gasolene tanks	7
Removal of tanks	13
Sale of Fireworks	24
Schools	5
Stores	37
Storage of Fuel Oil	517
Theatres	4
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	774

Permits Issued

Blasting	6
Bonfires	5
Burning of rubbish	85
Display of Fireworks	7
Garages	21
Removal of tanks	16
Sale of Fireworks	24
Storage of Fuel Oil	517
Transportation of explosives	4
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Apparatus and Equipment

It has been the pleasure of the Department to have a new Squad and Light Truck added to the equipment. This piece of apparatus has already proven its worth not only for the added booster equipment but also as to furnishing the flood lights at night fires. Ladders are more quickly raised and entrance to buildings made easier thereby getting to the seat of the fire and reducing much loss which was previously due to such delay.

The apparatus in service at present consists of:

Three (3) Seagrave 750 gallon Triple Combination Pumping Engines
 One (1) Maxim 1,000 gallon Triple Combination Pumping Engine
 Two (2) Seagrave City Service Ladder Trucks
 One (1) American LaFrance Squad and Light Truck
 One (1) Ford Model A Forest Fire Truck
 One (1) Chevrolet Forest Fire Truck
 One (1) Chevrolet Fire Alarm Truck
 One (1) White reserve truck
 One (1) Hudson Sedan, Chief's Car

This apparatus is giving fine service and is maintained in first class shape, both painting and repairing being done by the men of the Department.

All miscellaneous equipment is in fine condition and is kept at a high standard.

Stations

Ward 1 station situated on Athens Street is very badly in need of repairs, especially to its heating plant which will need an extensive overhaul.

Ward 2 station on Broad Street is in very good condition, only minor maintainence needed.

Ward 3 station on Broad and Washington Streets is in fine repair with the exception of needing some painting in the interior.

Ward 5 station on Pleasant Street is not in very good condition as quite considerable amount should be expended to keep these quarters in repair.

In conclusion I wish to acknowledge with sincere appreciation and gratitude the splendid cooperation and assistance so generously rendered to myself and to my Department by the Honorable Board of Selectmen.

I extend my sincere thanks to the officers and men of my Department for the spirit shown and the fine morale maintained by them.

I also tender my thanks to Chief Butler of the Police Department and to his Patrolmen for the assistance rendered so willingly at all times.

To the heads and members of other Departments and to various Committees who have so generously aided in every way, and to each and every Citizen who has assisted in any way, I wish to express my sincere appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

J. RALPH BACON

Chief of Fire Department.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF FIRE ALARM

To Chief J. Ralph Bacon,
Chief of Fire Department,
Weymouth, Mass.

Chief Bacon:

I respectfully submit the annual report of the present and future need of the Fire Alarm Department.

The number of alarms sent over the system this past year were as follows:

Alarms for fires	279
False	20
Lost child calls	4
No school signals	7
Boy Scout signals	2

The many miles of outside wires are in good condition. The constant replacement of new poles has added much to the cost of upkeep due to the necessity of changing wires. There are 1,942 poles to which our lines are attached, this figure meaning it is necessary to maintain over 2,000 crossarms. I recommend that between 200 and 300 of these arms be replaced every year as they become unsafe.

Three of the old type boxes were replaced last year and I would advise that three of this type boxes be changed each year until all of these have been done away with.

Number three circuit of the system is at present being compelled to carry an extra heavy overload. This circuit should be divided into two separate circuits as soon as possible to prevent any possible trouble.

In closing I wish to extend my thanks to those who have co-operated with me during the past year, and to extend an invitation to all who may be interested to inspect our new equipment.

Respectfully submitted,

C. F. COOLIDGE

Supt. of Fire Alarm.

ANNUAL INVENTORY OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I respectfully submit the following items as the Annual Inventory of the Fire Department as of January 1st, 1932.

	Valuations			Totals
	Land	Buildings	Equipment	
Ward 1, 6,300 sq. ft.	\$ 400.00	\$ 8,250.00	\$13,882.85	\$22,532.85
Ward 2, 36,900 sq. ft.	3,000.00	60,000.00	26,079.34	89,079.34
Ward 3, 3,200 sq. ft.	800.00	37,000.00	28,971.76	66,771.76
Ward 5, 4,800 sq. ft.	725.00	9,300.00	24,138.71	34,163.71
Fire Alarm Equipment			49,225.00	49,225.00
Totals	\$4,925.00	\$114,550.00	\$142,297.66	\$261,772.56

Respectfully submitted,

J. RALPH BACON

Chief of Fire Department.

REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of the Town of Weymouth,

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit the annual report of the services rendered by the Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1931.

CAUSES FOR ARRESTS

Crimes against the person:

Assault and battery	18
Assault on police officer	1
Abduction	1
Manslaughter	1
Threats	6
Robbery	3
Rape	5
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Crimes against property:

Breaking, entering and larceny	11
Larceny	59
Unlawful taking	8
Malicious injury to building	1
Malicious mischief	3
Trespass	20
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Crimes against Chastity & Good Order

Adultery	6
Bastardy	2
Polygamy	1
Defaults	9
Disturbing the peace	1
Drunkenness	376
Failing to pay wages	23
Neglect of family	15
Non-support	6
Neglected children	14
Lewdness	9
Peddling unlicensed	7
Violation motor vehicle laws	667
(117 which are for operating under influence of liquor)	
Violation of probation	10
Violation of dog laws	1
Violation of Town by-laws	15

False alarm of fire	3
Stubborn child	1
Insane	4
Cruelty to animals	1
Violation of Fish and Game laws	7
Violation of Illegitimate child act	1
Violation of liquor laws:	
Keeping and exposing	6
Unlawful sale	4
Violation labor laws	2
Crimes against Public Peace	2
Recapitulation:	
Crimes against the person	35
Crimes against property	102
Crimes against chastity and good order	1191
Crimes against public peace	2
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	1330
Out of town arrests	340
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Total arrests for year	1670
Miscellaneous report:	
Eight raids for intoxicating liquors	
Complaints investigated, 529	
Doors and buildings found open and secured, 747	
Street lights reported out, 277	
Wagon calls, 290	
Ambulance calls, 104	
Dogs killed, 68	
Messages delivered, 112	
Fires reported, 4	
Lost children, 19	
Defective streets, 25	
Property recovered, \$6,000.00	

During the past year there was a major change in the personnel of the police department occasioned by the retirement of Chief Arthur H. Pratt, who finished his outstanding police service of thirty-nine years, the last sixteen as Chief, on April 13, 1931. Strict in the performance of his duties he was ever faithful, efficient and just, and developed a splendid police force of which the Town can well be proud.

He leaves in the hearts of those who worked with him a profound feeling of admiration and respect.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD F. BUTLER

Chief of Police.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SIGNAL SYSTEM

Weymouth, Mass.
January 4th, 1932

Chief Edward Butler,
Chief of Police Department:

I respectfully submit the following report of the Police Signal and Traffic light systems.

The outside lines are in very good condition and have given us but minor trouble since the installation was completed.

A new box has been added to the system, together with a Signal light over same this past year.

Minor trouble may be expected owing to storms, especially electric storms which may destroy some of the units. The greatest cost will be the replacement of the traffic and police signal lamps, and outside maintenance of lines.

Respectfully submitted,

C. F. COOLIDGE
Supt of Signals.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE WEYMOUTH VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of the Town of Weymouth,
Gentlemen:

The seventeenth year of steady progress of the Weymouth Visiting Nurse Association is now at an end. Seventeen years of caring for the sick, seventeen years of providing for the needy, these deeds in addition to classes of instruction and the maintenance of a Well Baby Clinic and a Pre-School Clinic are the things of which we are indeed proud.

The success of this organization depends upon every resident of this Town of Weymouth. It pleases me at this time to thank collectively all those persons and organizations who realize this fact and have so willingly and thoughtfully helped us financially and with gifts of clothing and medicinal supplies.

The officers and directors have held eleven monthly meetings with an average attendance of eleven. In June, we inaugurated the idea of holding the meeting in one another's homes instead of the Clinic-Room, the meeting place heretofore. This change has proved beneficial.

The nurses have had an especially busy year, having made 6,054 calls in caring for 812 patients, 91 of whom were tubercular. We hold a great regard for Mrs. Pratt's ability and the efficiency with which she carries on her work. Miss Wilbur also deserves a great deal of credit for her part. We wish to thank them both for their loyal service.

The Well Baby Clinic, perhaps our greatest gift to the community is as always very well attended. There were 52 clinics held this year with 1,312 babies attending, 165 new babies' names were added to our already very long list. Beginning August 1, 1931, we started to make a charge of twenty-five cents for each baby examined by the Doctor with the exception of those we knew were unable to pay. By this source we enriched our treasury \$108.10.

The Pre-School Clinic was carried on this, its second year, the same as last with the exception of the Clinic Doctor. This year the Town's Doctors were asked to co-operate with us, and take charge of the Clinics in the various schools. This they did 100%. We wish to thank them for their time, and support. We have the Rotary Club to thank for its part in taking care of the extractions of tonsils and adenoids.

During this year our many money making activities were carried on as usual. Tag-day was held in October, and in May the regular drive for members were held. Through the kindness of Mrs. Merle Cain, we were able to hold a Bridge-Whist for the benefit of the Pre-School Clinic.

This year we started an Emergency Fund, the money from which might be used by Mrs. Pratt for some immediate needy case. To swell this fund, a Bridge Party was held at the home of Mrs. I. Mills Dodge and a Grocery-Tea at Mrs. Prince Tirrell's home. Both of these parties were most successful socially and financially.

In July an amendment was made to the "Rules for Nurse" stating a change in price from 60 cents to 75 cents a visit. In December the By-Laws were amended so that in the future a Nominating Committee will be appointed at the beginning of each year to serve that whole year to fill any vacancies which might occur.

One year ending just means that another year is beginning; so we are ready with added courage and willingness to attack the problems which will be before us in 1932.

Respectfully submitted,

BEATRICE WARREN BICKNELL

Secretary.

**REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE TRUSTEES OF
WEYMOUTH FORE RIVER BRIDGE**

(for the year ending December 31, 1931)

Balance brought forward from 1930		\$279.62
Receipts:—		
City of Quincy, assessments Nos. 247 to 254	\$2,640.00	
Town of Weymouth, “ “ 245 to 254	1,000.00	
Town of Hingham, “ “ 247 to 254	800.00	
Town of Hull, “ “ 247 to 254	160.00	
Town of Cohasset, “ “ 247 to 254	480.00	
Town of Scituate, “ “ 247 to 254	160.00	
Town of Marshfield, “ “ 247 to 254	80.00	
County of Norfolk, “ “ 247 to 254	1,600.00	
East. Mass. St. Ry. Co., “ “ 247 to 254	1,200.00	
Interest on deposits	5.35	
Total		\$8,205.35
Disbursements:—		
		\$8,484.97
Harry W. Pray, Services as Bridgetender	\$2,000.00	
Wm. W. Cushing, Services as Asst. Bridgetender	1,436.50	
Harold Delaney, Services as Gatetender and Substitute Bridgetender	972.41	
Arthur Rogers, Services as Gatetender	180.00	
Wm. J. Gaughan, Services as Gatetender	720.00	
James N. Rogers, Services as Sub. Gatetender	178.66	
New England Tel. & Tel Co., Service	70.56	
City Fuel Company, fuel	69.15	
Quincy Electric Lt. & Power Co., Lighting	42.25	
Weymouth Light & Power Co., Lighting	34.56	
Conrad V. Butler, electrical repairs and lamps	14.00	
City of Quincy, repairs and material	1,527.73	
Standard Oil Company of New York, oil & grease	8.12	
Keystone Envelope Company, stationery supplies	1.68	
Evernu-Century Sign Company, Signs	17.50	
W. H. Brewster Co., premiums. Workmen's Com. and Public Liability Insurance	351.89	
Edward F. Butler, Chief of Police, services of Officers	270.00	
J. Irving Botting, auditing accounts for 1931	10.00	
Thomas J. McGrath, services as Trustee, 1931	100.00	
Wm. A. Connell, services as Trustee, 1931	100.00	
Wm. L. Foster, services as Trustee, Sec. & Treas.	150.00	
		8,255.01
Balance carried forward		229.96
		\$8,484.97

Hingham, December 31, 1931.

Wm. L. Foster, Treasurer.

Trustees of Weymouth Fore River Bridge,

Gentlemen:—

I have examined the accounts of William L. Foster, Treasurer of the Trustees of Weymouth Fore River Bridge, for the twelve months ending December 31, 1931, and I hereby certify that he has accounted for all receipts that have been reported.

I have also reconciled the bank account and find the balance of \$229.96 to be correct.

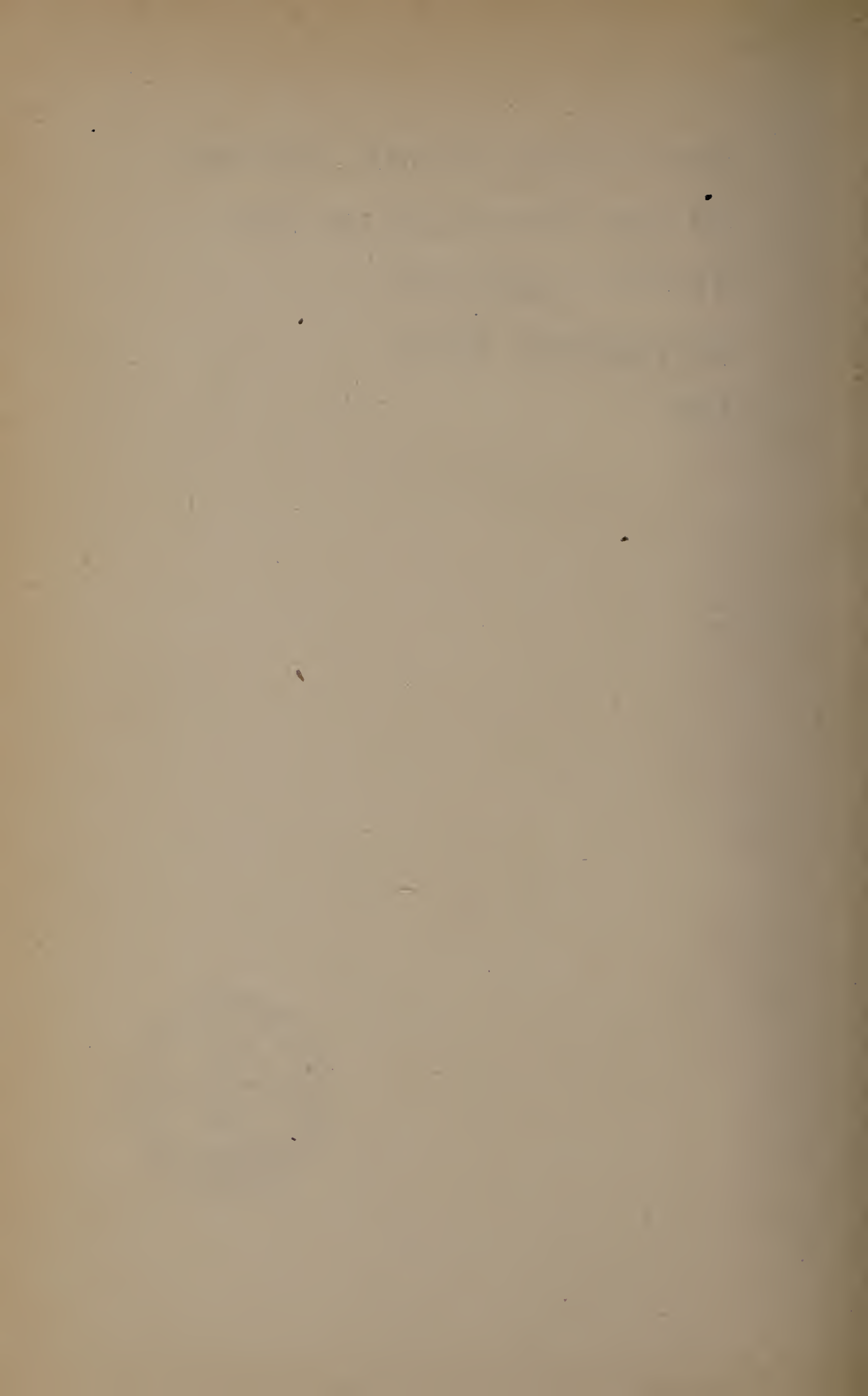
Very truly yours,

J. Irving Botting,
Auditor.

Hingham, Massachusetts.

**FIFTY-THIRD ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE
TUFTS LIBRARY
WEYMOUTH, MASS.
1931**





**FIFTY THIRD ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF
THE TUFTS LIBRARY**

TRUSTEES

Gertrude C. Andrews	Joseph Kelley
Wallace H. Drake	Kenneth L. Nash
William F. Hathaway	Arthur E. Pratt
John B. Holland	Franklin N. Pratt
Clarence P. Whittle	

SELECTMEN EX-OFFICIO

Charles H. Chubbuck	William A. Hannaford
William A. Connell	H. Franklin Perry
Fred E. Waite	

OFFICERS

Clarence P. Whittle, President
Gertrude C. Andrews, Secretary

LIBRARIAN

Christine E. Evarts

ASSISTANTS

Rachael M. Bodine	Alice M. Gowdy
Ruth B. Clark	Edith L. Payson
Mary L. Smith	

BRANCH LIBRARIANS

Mary M. Dingwall, North Weymouth Branch
Martha J. Hawes, East Weymouth Branch

JANITOR

Thomas E. Shea

INFORMATION

Hours: Main Library: 9 A. M. to 9 P. M. daily. Children's Room: 2:30 to 6 P. M. daily; Saturday 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.

Summer hours: July and August, 9 A. M. to 6 P. M. Saturday 9 A. M. to 9 P. M.

Branches: 2 to 5 and 7 to 8 P. M. daily, except Wednesday.

The library and the branches are not open Sundays, legal holidays, nor the 17th of June.

The library is for the use of all the residents of Weymouth. Temporary residents are entitled to the same privileges as permanent residents.

Each card issued to an adult entitles the holder to one book of recent fiction (a book published within the last year), one current periodical, and any reasonable number of other books.

Children under Senior High School age are entitled to a card if the applicant is signed by a parent or guardian. Cards issued to children entitle the holders to two books, only one of which may be fiction.

All books from the circulating department, except the new fiction, may be kept for fourteen days. At the request of the borrower any book not in popular demand will be charged for one month, subject to recall after two weeks if requested by other borrowers. Fiction published within the last calendar year, and recent numbers of magazines are limited to seven days with no renewal privilege.

The vacation privilege allows a borrower to take books which are not recent publications for an extended time.

A book cannot be transferred from one card to another, but any fourteen day book may be renewed at the library, by mail, or by *telephone, unless another borrower has asked to have the book reserved. The date due, the author and title of the book, and the borrower's name should be stated when the request for renewal is made.

Any fourteen day book will be reserved at the request of a borrower, who will be notified as soon as the book is available.

A fine of two cents a day will be incurred for each day's detention of a book after it is due. When a book is sent for by the librarian it will be at the expense of the borrower.

Cases of contagious diseases are reported to the library by the Board of Health, and all books which have been exposed to contagion are burned.

For the convenience of residents living in different parts of the Town, books are exchanged through the delivery stations once a week as follows:

Lovell's Corner	W. B. Chalke & Sons	Tuesday
South Weymouth	Fogg Memorial Library	Tuesday
South Weymouth	Alfred S. Tirrell	Tuesday
East Weymouth	East Weymouth Branch	Thursday
North Weymouth	North Weymouth Branch	Friday
Weymouth Heights	Economy Store	Friday

Application for borrower's cards may be made at the Delivery Stations as well as at the library and branches.

The library publishes a bulletin of new books several times during the year. This will be distributed through the library and its agencies, and sent to any resident upon request.

* Telephone 1309-M

THE TUFTS LIBRARY FIFTY-THIRD ANNUAL REPORT

The annual report of the Tufts Library for the year 1931 is herewith respectfully submitted:

The past two years, which have been marked by increasing business depression, have, because of this, been a period of increase in the service of our public libraries to their communities. Reports confirming this larger use are coming from the libraries everywhere throughout the country, and it is evident in the use of the books in the Tufts Library and its branches. Large numbers of people, who in normal times have little opportunity for reading, are now finding the public library a valued resource. They are coming to us for the books that will help them fill enforced idle hours; for the reading that they have always planned to do, but never before have had sufficient time to accomplish; even in some instances, for a warm and comfortable shelter. Best of all there are a few who are using the resources of the library to make themselves more efficient workmen, so that when the opportunity for employment again comes their way they will be able to command a better position than they otherwise could. This period of hard times offers the library an opportunity and a challenge.

During the year which this report covers, the library has circulated 160,162 books, a gain of more than 10,000 over the previous year, and of over 25,000 in the two years since the depression began to show a definite effect upon the work of the library. Of this circulation 92,443 books were circulated from the main building; 29,875 and 37,844 from the North Weymouth and East Weymouth branches respectively. This year the library had the largest circulation in one day that it has ever handled. On February 24th, 1931, one thousand sixty-three books were issued to borrowers from the library and its branches. These figures take no account of the use of the reference books in the library, nor of the many readers who spend one or two hours in the reading room, but do not take books home with them.

In the work with boys and girls there has been a normal growth in 1931. 46,790 juvenile books have been circulated, over half of these from the children's room of the Main Library. It is of interest to note that 3,796 books were circulated through the school deposits, a gain over the previous year of 1,679. These deposits of books were placed in eight of the thirteen elementary schools in Weymouth—all except the schools which are very near the library or its branches—and a generous deposit in the High School Library. The book collections number anywhere from eighty-seven books, serving the various grades in one school, to a few books selected for a single classroom. The teachers are very appreciative of this service, and many children are reached who would not otherwise have any touch with the library. During the summer, at the request of Mr. Everett J. McIntosh, director of the playgrounds, deposits of books were also sent to seven of the playgrounds of the Town.

As in previous years the children have read from the graded lists sent out by the Massachusetts State Library Commission, and been awarded certificates for reading and satisfactorily reporting on the books of their own grade. Forty children enrolled in this reading contest, twenty-eight of whom won their certificates, and fourteen of whom won honor certificates. Story hours have been held regularly on alternate weeks, and reading interests have been further stimulated by exhibits directly connected with books. Some of these exhibits have been illustrative of our national holidays, others have depicted life in far countries, and a few of special interest have been generously loaned or given to the library. Among these were several sets of original drawings for the illustration in children's books, loaned by the MacMillan Publishing Company, and a most informative exhibit showing the flags and seals of the various states, with pictures of beautiful or famous places in those states, which was loaned through the courtesy of Rev. Clarence L. Eaton. An unusually fine exhibit is a model of a medieval castle with moat and drawbridge, horses and soldiers. This exhibit was made by a sixth grade in the Hunt School, and has been generously given to the library.

Good Book Week, which is observed nationally in November, is the high water mark in the year's work with children. This year the Tufts Library had a fine exhibit of new books for children of all ages. The exhibit was advertised in the schools, and interest in the books was evident among both the children and the teachers. On Wednesday afternoon a story-hour was held in each of the Branch Libraries. We have wished before to do this for the children in East and North Weymouth, but this is the first time that it has seemed possible to arrange for it. The response of the children indicates their appreciation. There were eighty-five boys and girls in the North Weymouth Branch, and one hundred and fifty crowded into the East Weymouth Branch. On Friday afternoon the Literary Committee of the Monday Club met in the Parents' and Teachers' Room, and Miss Bodine, our Children's Librarian, told them about the most outstanding of the new children's books. On Saturday morning the Parents' and Teachers' Room was filled to over-flowing with the children who came to the story-hour.

The greatly increased use of the library creates a demand for more books, and more copies of the same book; and as our book stock steadily grows we are faced with the problem of crowded shelves. Fortunately the acquisition of the lower floor of the building has temporarily solved this problem for us. It takes care not only of our children's books, but of the books on education and child study. Parents and teachers have spoken appreciatively of the convenience of having these books in close proximity to the children's literature, and the books themselves are having a larger use.

This "Parents' and Teachers' Room," besides its increasing use by those interested in the books shelved there, is regularly used for story-hours, and was used once a month through the winter and spring of 1931 for a class in child psychology conducted under the auspices of the Massachusetts Agricultural College at Amherst, and attended by mothers from Weymouth and nearby Towns.

Again this past year the Tufts Library was asked by Simmons College Library School to serve with other selected libraries as a practice field for students. In the early spring we had with us two Simmons College Seniors, one of whom was training for general library work, and the other specializing in library work with children. Each of these girls gave two weeks of service to the library.

Each year a plea is sent out from the American Merchant Marine Library Association for gifts of books, and the public libraries everywhere serve as receiving stations. In 1931 two large cartons of books given for this purpose, were sent out through the Tufts Library from Weymouth to help make up the little libraries that mean so much to men on shipboard or isolated in lighthouses.

Considerable work has been done during the year for the maintenance of the library property. The windows on the second floor and the doors into the Children's Room on the first floor have been weather-stripped, and cracks around the casings of the windows on the outside of the building have been caulked with cement. The roof and gutters have been cleaned, and the bricks around the chimney pointed up, and new floors have been laid in the Trustees' Room and in the Parents' and Teachers' Room. Fresh paint in the Trustees' Room and in the librarian's office make these rooms seem much lighter and more attractive. Some new electric lights have been added in the darker sections of the book stacks, and shades have been fitted to the large windows in the Children's Room. At the North Weymouth Branch the surfaces of the tables and desks have been refinished, and at the East Weymouth Branch a little new shelving has been added, and a much needed desk for the librarian.

For several years the Literary Committee of the Monday Club has most generously co-operated with the librarian in reviewing new books for the library. The trustees wish to take this occasion to express again their appreciation of this service. They also wish to thank the many kind friends who have helped to make the library attractive with gifts of flowers from their gardens.

During 1931 the library has received as gifts from various individuals one hundred and sixty-four books. Among these is a biographical sketch of the life of Miss Caroline A. Blanchard, the first librarian of the Tufts Library. It is written by her sister, Miss Alice B. Blanchard, and presented by her to the library. This is a high and worthy tribute, and we are glad to have it in permanent form in our files.

Mrs. Mary Fifield King, the grand-daughter of Dr. Noah Fifield, has presented the library with a pair of candle-sticks which were a wedding gift to her grandmother from Miss Susan Tufts; also with a painting of Weymouth Fore River by Miss Ruth Thayer, a Weymouth artist, and with several more of the books from Dr. Noah Fifield's library. The Trustees express their appreciation of all these gifts and of the many reports and bulletins received from other libraries.

The Town of Weymouth like all other communities today is having to meet serious social and economic problems. In this period of difficult readjustment the Tufts Library desires to utilize its resources to the full for the benefit of the people, both through its recreational reading and its informative literature.

Respectfully submitted,

CLARANCE P. WHITTLE

Chairman.

By order and in behalf of the Trustees.

APPENDIX A—STATISTICS
Classification of Circulation—1931

Class	Main Library		North Weymouth		East Weymouth		Grand Total	
	Juvenile	Adult	Total	Juvenile	Adult	Total	Juvenile	Adult
General Works	4	90	94	11	19	30	15	109
Philosophy		717	717					124
Religion	287	184	471	1	70	71	1	867
Social Sciences	3,838	906	4,744	63	21	84	390	621
Language		157	157	1,012	91	1,103	6,137	1,087
Natural Science	639	451	1,090	13	174	187	13	331
Useful Arts	502	1,125	1,627	270	83	353	1,014	581
Fine Arts	1,876	1,612	3,488	244	51	295	956	1,266
Literature	627	1,981	2,608	455	123	578	2,796	1,801
History	579	1,015	1,594	688	268	956	1,462	2,384
Travel	1,047	1,855	2,902	122	144	266	779	1,265
Biography	575	1,776	2,351	381	327	708	1,767	2,492
Periodicals	495	2,429	2,924	171	256	427	851	2,254
Pamphlets		61	61	375	1,827	2,202	1,143	5,103
Fiction								61
Total	13,710	53,905	67,615	5,233	19,574	24,807	10,523	20,061
	24,179	68,264	92,443	8,282	21,593	29,875	14,329	23,515

Number of Volumes Distributed through the Several Delivery Stations

Precincts	Delivery Stations	
	Loans	
1	North Weymouth Branch	156
2 & 6	East Weymouth Branch	116
4	Alfred S. Tirrell	2,898
5	Fogg Memorial Library	1,301
7	W. B. Chalke & Sons	2,366
8	Weymouth Heights Economy Store	1,712

Number of volumes distributed through schools

8,549
3,796

AMERICAN LIBRARY ASSOCIATION FORM OF STATISTICS

For the year ending December 31, 1931

Population served (Census of 1930)	20,882		
Assessed valuation of Town	\$45,304,861.00		
Total number of agencies, consisting of			
Main Library		1	
Branches		2	
Delivery stations		4	
Schools		9	
Number of days open during the year		302	
Total valuation of library property	\$104,600.00		
Number of volumes at beginning of year		42,577	
Number of volumes added by purchase		2,405	
Number of volumes added by gift		164	
Number of volumes added by binding		8	
Number of volumes lost or withdrawn		1,208	
Total number of volumes at end of year		43,946	
Number of volumes of fiction lent		123,006	
Total number of volumes lent		160,162	
Number of borrowers registered		5,395	
Number of borrowers registered in 1931 (includes re-registrations)		2,371	
Number of periodicals received; 111 titles; 165 copies			
Receipts from		Payments for	
Town appropriation	\$21,505.00	Books & periodicals	\$4,803.26
Endowment funds	1,337.13	Binding	850.55
		Salaries, library service, janitor service	10,844.66
		Heat	577.00
		Light	473.90
		Rent (Branches)	2,160.00
		Other expenses	3,131.80
		Unexpended balance	.96
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	\$22,842.13		\$22,842.13

APPENDIX B

Registrations

Number of borrowers registered December 31, 1930	5,365
Number of new and renewed registrations during 1931	
Tufts Library	1,153
North Weymouth Branch	509
East Weymouth Branch	709
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	2,371
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	7,736
Number of registrations which have expired during 1931	2,297
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	5,439
Number of registrations void by death or removal from Town	44
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Number of borrowers registered December 31, 1931	5,395

APPENDIX C—PERIODICALS

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|---|---|
| *Alpha aids | Information service |
| American boy | Foreign policy association— |
| American cookery | News bulletin |
| American forests | Forum-Century |
| American girl | Good housekeeping |
| American home | Harper's magazine |
| *American issue | *Horticulture |
| American Library Association
booklist | House and garden |
| American Library Association
bulletin | House beautiful |
| American observer | Illustrated London news |
| Annals of the American Academy
of political and social science | Industrial education magazine |
| Asia | Junior home |
| Atlantic monthly | *Kodakery |
| Aviation | Ladies' home journal |
| *Bell telephone quarterly | Libraries |
| Better homes and gardens | Library Journal |
| Bird lore | Literary digest |
| Book review digest | Living age |
| Bookman | Magazine of American genealogy |
| Boston Evening Transcript | Marine engineering & shipping
age |
| Boston Herald | *Museum of Fine arts bulletin |
| Catholic world | Nation |
| Child life | National geographic magazine |
| *Christian leader | *National humane review |
| *Church militant | *National republic |
| *Columbia | Nation's business |
| *Congregationalist | Nature magazine |
| Congressional digest | New England Conservatory of
Music bulletin |
| Country gentleman | New republic |
| Country life | New York Herald Tribune-Books |
| Creative reading | New York Times Book review |
| Cumulative book index | Nineteenth century and after |
| Current events | North American review |
| Current history | Old time New England |
| Delineator | Ontario library review |
| Education | Open road |
| Etude | *Our dumb animals |
| Federation news | Outlook |
| Field and stream | Parents' magazine |
| Foreign policy association— | Pictorial review |

APPENDIX C (Continued)

Popular mechanics	School and society
Popular science monthly	School arts magazine
*Protectionist	Scientific American
Publishers' weekly	Scribner's magazine
Recruiting news	*Specialty salesman magazine
Reader's guide to periodicals	Small home
*Red cross courier	Standard quarterly review
Review of reviews (American)	Survey
*Rotarian	Travel
St. Nicholas	Weymouth Gazette & Transcript
Saturday evening post	Wisconsin library bulletin
Saturday review of literature	Woman's home companion
Scholastic	World's work
*School	

EAST WEYMOUTH BRANCH

American boy	Harper's magazine
American home	Ladies' home journal
American magazine	Literary digest
Atlantic monthly	National geographic magazine
Aviation	Nature magazine
Better homes and gardens	Open road
Child life	Pictorial review
*Christian Science journal	Popular mechanics
*Christian Science Monitor	Popular science monthly
*Christian Science sentinel	Psychology
Current history	Review of reviews
Delineator	St. Nicholas
Education	Saturday review of literature
Etude	Travel
Good housekeeping	World's work

NORTH WEYMOUTH BRANCH

American boy	Literary digest
American home	McCalls magazine
American magazine	National geographic magazine
Atlantic monthly	Nature magazine
Aviation	Open road
Better homes and gardens	Popular mechanics
Child life	Popular science monthly
*Christian Leader	*Rotarian
Current history	St. Nicholas
Etude	Saturday review of literature
Field and stream	Travel
Good housekeeping	Woman's home companion
	World's work

*Gift

THE FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE TUFTS LIBRARY FOR
THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1931

Salaries and Wages:

Librarian and assistants	\$7,498.17	
Janitor	1,611.00	\$9,109.17

Books and Periodicals, etc.:

Library Book House	2,059.56	
Personal Book Shop	995.32	
Herman Goldberger	178.25	
The H. W. Wilson Co.	128.10	
Smithsonian Institute	100.00	
Miscellaneous	414.75	3,875.98

Binding Books		850.55
Fuel		577.00
Light		347.94

Maintenance of Buildings:

Lloyd R. Mosher	396.70	
Chamberlain Weather Strip Co.	362.00	
Rem. Rand Bus. Service	300.70	
C. H. Burkett	150.00	
U .S. Roofing Co.	125.00	
N. E. Plate Glass Co.	51.00	
John R. Haviland	47.00	
W. W. Winship	34.50	
F. A. Sulis	30.00	
Miscellaneous	110.59	1,607.49

Other Expenses:

Printing, tel., supplies, equip., etc.	755.33	
Transportation and delivery of books	373.25	
Insurance	14.45	1,143.03
		<u>\$17,511.16</u>

North Weymouth Branch:

Librarians	719.49	
Rent	780.00	
Books and periodicals	426.52	
Maintenance	51.38	
Light	45.76	
Sundries	50.40	2,073.55

East Weymouth Branch:

Librarian	800.00	
Rent	1,380.00	
Books and periodicals	500.76	
Transportation of books	55.50	
Maintenance	405.76	
Light	80.20	
Sundries	34.24	3,256.46
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Total expended		22,841.17
Balance to treasury		.96
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Total		\$22,842.13

Appropriation, March 2, 1931 \$21,505.00

Income from other sources:

Tufts Fund—Books	118.75	
Tufts Fund—Reading Room	118.75	
Joseph E. Trask Fund	614.22	
Augustus J. Richards Fund	241.04	
Susannah Hunt Stetson Fund	121.87	
Tirrell Donation	48.75	
Francis Flint Forsythe Fund	48.75	
Charles Henry Pratt Trust Fund	25.00	
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Total		\$22,842.13

December 31, 1931

EMERSON R. DIZER
Town Accountant.

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
WATER DEPARTMENT



WEYMOUTH, MASS.

1931

REPORT OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

East Weymouth, Mass.

January 15, 1932

The Board organized with the election of Frank H. Torrey as Chairman; George E. Bicknell, Clerk and Edwin R. Sampson, Treasurer, in place of John H. Stetson, who recently resigned after about forty-five years of service.

Appointments for the year were as follows:

Fred O. Stevens—Superintendent

Marshall T. Tirrell—Registrar and Collector

Emerson R. Dizer—Town Accountant

April 24th, last, the Board appointed Edwin R. Sampson (Treasurer), as Collector for the department, his duties to commence May 7th, at a salary at the rate of \$1,500. per year.

Our Chairman Mr. Torrey, passing away early in July, after serving twenty-eight years as a member and Chairman of our board, necessitated the filling of the vacancy by a joint meeting of the board and the Selectmen.

Said meeting was held July 16th, and resulted in the appointment of Howard M. Dowd as a member, until the next annual election.

On July 22nd, the board elected George E. Bicknell as Chairman, for the balance of the year, in place of Mr. Torrey, deceased.

Land takings at Great Pond have continued during the past year and we wish to continue takings as fast as finances will allow us to do so.

The standpipe, at Edison plant, has just been completed.

The following appropriations from our income are requested for the coming year:

Maintenance & Operation	\$31,000.00
Minor Construction	20,000.00
Replacements	10,000.00
Equipment	4,000.00
Commercial	8,500.00
Salaries	2,075.00
Interest	4,683.75
Bond retirement	17,500.00

GEORGE E. BICKNELL

GEORGE W. PERRY

HOWARD M. DOWD

EDWIN R. SAMPSON

WILLIAM A. CONNELL

Water Commissioners.

REPORT OF REGISTRAR AND COLLECTOR**January 1, 1931 to May 8, 1931****WATER ACCOUNT**

Balance due January 1, 1931	\$26,256.23	
Charges January 1, 1931 to May 7, 1931	35,740.45	
	<hr/>	\$61,996.68

WATER ACCOUNT CREDITS

Received by Collector	\$36,826.85	
Abatements	689.38	
Balance due May 8, 1931	24,480.45	
	<hr/>	\$61,996.68
Paid to Treasurer	\$36,826.85	

MATERIAL AND LABOR ACCOUNT

Balance due January 1, 1931	\$2,494.96	
Charges January 1, 1931 to May 7, 1931	1,254.68	
	<hr/>	\$3,749.64

MATERIAL AND LABOR ACCOUNT CREDITS

Received by Collector	\$2,047.84	
Abatements	4.53	
Balance due May 8, 1931	1,697.27	
	<hr/>	\$3,749.64
Paid to Treasurer	\$2,047.84	

Respectfully submitted,

MARSHALL T. TIRRELL

Registrar and Collector.

January 1, 1931 to May 8, 1931

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT

To the Board of Water Commissioners:

The following tables and summaries, covering in detail the work of the department for the year ending December 31, 1931 are respectfully submitted:

FRED O. STEVENS,

Superintendent.

SUMMARY OF STATISTICS

Year Ending December 31, 1931

In form recommended by New England Waterworks Association.

Weymouth Waterworks, Weymouth, Mass.

Population, 1931: Winter, 20,000; Summer, 24,000

Date of construction: 1885.

By whom owned: Town of Weymouth.

Source of Supply: Weymouth Great Pond.

Mode of Supply: Pumping to reservoir and gravity.

Capacity of reservoir: 700,000 gallons.

PUMPING STATISTICS

1. Pumping Machinery:

No. 1. Allis-Chalmers Single Stage Centrifugal Pump, driven by 70 H. P. G. E. Motor.

No. 2. Worthington 2 Stage Centrifugal Pump, driven by 70 H. P. G. E. Motor.

No. 3. DeLaval Single Stage Centrifugal Pump driven by 150 H. P. Sterling Gasoline Engine.

Capacity of Pumps:

No. 1. 1,700,000 gallons per 24 hours.

No. 2. 1,400,000 gallons per 24 hours.

No. 3. 2,600,000 gallons per 24 hours.

2. Total pumpage per years with Gasoline Pump, 200,000 gallons.
3. Electric current used, K. W. H. 233,974.
4. Total pumpage for year with electric pumps 254,514,532 gallons.
5. Average static lift of pumps, 108 feet.
6. Average total lift of pumps, 156 feet.
7. Cost of current per million gallons, \$21.40
8. Cost per million gallons raised one foot, \$0.137
9. Cost of pumping per million gallons based on total expense, \$31.03

REPORT OF WATER DEPARTMENT

STATISTICS RELATING TO DISTRIBUTION

Mains

1. Kind of Pipe: Cast iron, wrought iron, lead and lead lined.
2. Sizes: From one inch to fourteen inches.
3. Extended: 6,240 feet.
4. Replaced small wrought iron with cast iron, 1,479 feet.
5. Total now in use, 104.2 miles.
6. Length of pipes less than 4 inches in diameter, 21.1 miles.
(Mostly summer lines.)

7. Number of hydrants added during year, 15.
8. Number of hydrants now in use, 548
9. Number of stop-gates added during year, 17
10. Number of stop-gates now in use 845
11. Number of stop-gates smaller than 4 inches, 151
12. Number of blow-offs, 19
13. Range of static pressure on mains, 18 to 105 pounds.

SERVICES

14. Kind of pipe: Cast iron, cement lined, wrought iron, lead and lead lined.
15. Sizes, $\frac{3}{4}$ inch to 8 inches.
16. Extended. 1,148.0 feet.
17. Discontinued, none.
18. Total in use, 26.51 miles.
19. Number of services added 67.
20. Total services Dec. 31, 1931, 6,826.
21. Average length of services added during year, 17.0 feet.
22. Number of meters added, 161; discontinued, none.
23. Number of meters now in use, 4,715.
24. Percentage of service metered, 69.1.

STATISTICS OF CONSUMPTION

1. Population: Winter, 21,000; Summer, 24,000; Average 22,000.
2. Total consumption for 1931, 519,754,425 gallons.
3. Average daily consumption 1,423,985 gallons.
4. Gallons per day per capita: 65
5. Total through commercial meters, 93,851,175.
6. Domestic consumption, (2)-(5): 425,903,250
7. Gallons per day per capita, based on (6): 53
8. Total through meters: 245,411,475 gallons.
9. Per cent accounted for by meters: 47.3

TABLE I.
THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Weymouth Great Pond				WATER ANALYSIS				Parts in 100,000					
NUMBER	APPEARANCE			RESIDUE ON EVAPORATION			AMMONIA			Chlorine	Hardness	Iron	
	Turbidity	Sediment	Color	Total	Loss on Ignition	Fixed	Free	Total	In Suspension				In Solution
1931													
231123	Feb. 24	very slight	.13	5.05	1.55	3.50	.0040	.0124	.0080	.0044	.56	1.7	.110
232928	May 25	very slight	.32	4.10	1.35	2.75	.0002	.0122	.0068	.0054	.54	1.0	.015
235479	Aug. 24	very slight	.37	4.20	1.40	2.80	.0004	.0124	.0112	.0012	.49	0.8	.022
238140	Nov. 27	very slight	.26	3.35	1.40	1.95	.0010	.0106	.0088	.0018	.52	1.0	.032

TABLE 2—MONTHLY CONSUMPTION FOR 1931

Month	High Service System (gals)	Gravity System (gals)	Total Consumption (gals)	Total Pumped (gals)	Total Pumped-1930 (gals)
January	17,101,662	22,830,000	39,931,662	17,234,162	19,007,474
February	15,639,902	20,786,000	36,425,902	16,163,402	19,222,587
March	16,666,829	23,690,000	40,356,829	17,189,829	19,633,260
April	17,066,775	24,844,000	41,910,775	18,204,275	20,129,133
May	18,687,968	23,361,000	42,048,968	19,266,968	27,443,866
June	19,721,346	26,484,000	46,205,346	20,950,971	31,307,249
July	21,299,785	31,136,000	52,435,785	27,736,164	30,255,727
August	20,294,423	32,438,000	52,732,423	32,911,726	28,864,288
September	17,695,225	30,932,000	48,627,225	28,833,225	26,210,046
October	16,204,733	25,284,000	41,488,733	20,485,233	20,325,721
November	14,901,800	24,096,000	38,997,800	17,865,100	16,802,959
December	13,506,977	25,086,000	38,592,977	19,673,477	19,000,900
Total	208,787,425	310,967,000	519,754,425	256,514,532	278,203,210
Average Per Day.....	571,993	851,964	1,423,985	702,780	762,200
Maximum — Day.....	1,023,333	1,426,000	2,217,166	1,623,588	1,796,997

TABLE 3
METERS IN USE DECEMBER 31, 1931

Make	Sizes									Total
	5/8	3/4	1	1½	2	3	4	6	10	
Triden	850			1	1		2			854
Keystone	549				1					550
Nash-K	262									262
Nash-9	45									45
Worthington	13									13
Hersey	863	7	4	20	14	2	5	2		917
King	243	4	8	1	5					261
Watch Dog	1,581		1							1,582
Arctic	207									207
Empire	6	2	2	2	4		1			17
Premier							1		1	2
Crown			1	1						2
Gem					1					1
Federal	1									1
Badger	1									1
Total	4,621	13	16	25	26	2	9	2	1	4,715
Dec. 31, 1930	4,464	10	21	23	22	2	9	2	1	4,554

TABLE 4
NEW MAINS, GATES AND HYDRANTS, 1931

Street	Cast Iron (Feet)			W. I. and Steel (feet)		Gates							Location	
	12 inches	10 inches	6 inches	2 inches	1½ inches	12 inches	10 inches	8 inches	6 inches	4 inches	2 inches	1½ inches		Hydrants
Blanchard Rd.			510						1					From Pleasant St.
Columbian St.										1				At Bridge
Evans St.		2,170					2	1						From Delorey Ave. to Edison Line
Fiske Ave.													1	No. 35
Front St.													1	Reed Cemetery
Fore Fiver Ave						128					1			From No. 57 to No. 47
Great Pond Rd.													1	Near Sycamore Road
Hinston Rd.											1			East St. to Lawtons Main
Hibiscus Ave.			848	182					1				2	From Pleasantview Ave.—East
Lakehurst Ave.			852						1				1	From Pleasant Street
Main St.													1	At Town Dump
Monatiquot St.		376					2		1					Varness Rd. to Edison Tank

TABLE 4
NEW MAINS, GATES AND HYDRANTS, 1931

Street	Cast Iron (Feet)			W. I. and Steel (feet)		Gates								Location
	12 inches	10 inches	6 inches	2 inches	1½ inches	12 inches	10 inches	8 inches	6 inches	4 inches	2 inches	1½ inches	Hydrants	
Norton St.	1,600					1	1	2					1	North to Pear Street
Nevins Rd.			333										1	From No. 18 to No. 46
Pearl St.	692					2								Norton to Evans Street
Puritan Rd.			689					1					2	East to Cross Street
Pond St.			139										1	From No. 641 to No. 649
Pond St.													1	At Oakden Avenue
Pierce Rd.													1	No. 37
Ralph Talbot St			300						1					From Pine Street to No. 377
Richmond St.													1	Corner Phillips Street
Standish St.			260						1					From No. 98 to Johnson Road
Washington St.		660												From No. 723 to Fire Works
Totals	2,292	2,830	3,931	182	128	3	5	2	8	1	1	1	15	

TABLE 5

MAIN REPLACEMENTS										
Location	Pipe						Valves		Hydrants	
	Taken Out			Replaced			Taken Out		Replaced	
	Size	Kind	Feet	Size	Kind	Feet				
Fiske Ave.	1¼"	W. I.	239	6"	C. I.	239	1-1¼"	1-6"	0	1
Lakehurst Ave.	2"	Steel	388	6"	C. I.	388	1-2"	1-6"		
Norton St.	6"	C. I.	900	12"	C. I.	900				
Pierce Rd.	2"	W. I.	399	6"	C. I.	399	1-2"	1-6"	0	1
Puritan Rd.	2"	W. I.	453	6"	C. I.	453			0	2

TABLE 6

DISTRIBUTION PIPES AND GATES IN USE DEC. 31, 1931				
Size	Cast Iron Pipe	W. I. and Steel Pipe	Lead Pipe	Gates
20 in.	250			1
18 in.	2,092			1
14 in.	22,555			14
12 in.	33,882			38
10 in.	42,601			52
8 in.	55,334			89
6 in.	253,760			451
4 in.	22,103			48
2 in.	4,007	60,977		93
1½ in.		31,362		53
1¼ in.		6,415		
1 in.		14,656	216	5
Total	436,584	113,410	216	845
Total Feet - 550,210		Total Miles - 104.2		

REPORT OF THE ACCOUNTANT

East Weymouth, Mass.
January 21, 1932

To the Board of Water Commissioners:

Gentlemen:

Herewith is submitted the thirtieth annual report of the Accounting Department showing the financial transactions of the Water Department for the year ending December 31, 1931.

The cash and securities of the Department have been examined as required by statute and found as reported.

The arrangement now in effect for handling the billing and collecting of water accounts has greatly improved the condition which existed heretofore. This office is now able to check the records of the department monthly with some degree of satisfaction, which has not been possible for a long time.

While the accounts are kept in a satisfactory manner, the increase from year to year in the item of uncollected bills compels me to urge that prompt consideration be given this situation. A very determined and consistent effort should be made to collect the old accounts which have been allowed to accumulate in an unbusinesslike way. The financial stability of any municipality depends upon the ability to collect its revenue and pay bills promptly. The amount due for water accounts is not conducive to a very favorable attitude being taken towards this condition.

The net debt of the department has been reduced to \$115,500.00 and the surplus revenue increased to \$47,177.46 during the year.

The co-operation of those in the service of the department has been most helpful in bringing about an improved condition.

Respectfully,

EMERSON R. DIZER
Town Accountant.

WATER DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

Water Rents	\$107,431.88
Water Construction	6,749.15
Notes issued May 1, 1931	7,500.00
Due May 1, 1932-1946	
Premium on above	10.21
Accrued interest on above	5.25
Interest on Deposits:	
Weymouth Trust Co., Commercial Dept.	194.16
Weymouth Trust Co., Savings Dept.	1,208.90
South Weymouth Savings Bank	813.81
Int. on N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Bonds	595.00
Refunds	609.30
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Total	\$125,117.66
Cash on hand January 1, 1931	55,916.33
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Total	\$181,033.99
Warrants paid in 1931	130,239.73
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Cash on hand December 31, 1931	\$50,794.26
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PAYMENTS

Major Construction:

Superintendence	390.00	
U. S. Iron Pipe Co.	1,738.95	
Warren Pipe Co.	387.20	
Eddy Valve Co.	353.16	
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co.	281.52	
Hydraulic Development Co.	200.00	
The Ludlow Valve Mfg. Co.	196.56	
Sundries	531.09	
Transfers:		
Equipment	814.77	
Labor	3,339.45	
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Total expended	8,232.70	
Balance to 1932 account	479.77	
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Total		8,712.47
Appropriation Account:		
Balance from 1930 account	1,212.47	
Loan authorized March 2, 1931	7,500.00	
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Total		<u>8,712.47</u>

Minor Construction:

Superintendence	\$684.84	
Hersey Mfg. Co.	3,945.99	
Eddy Valve Co.	1,355.46	
Builders Iron Foundry	665.20	
The Ludlow Valve Mfg. Co.	589.31	
Sumner & Dunbar	520.00	
Warren Pipe Co.	446.88	
Mueller Co., Inc.	355.25	
Weymouth Asphalt Concrete Co., Inc.	321.44	
R. L. Reed	284.55	
Ross Valve Mfg. Co.	270.75	
A. M. Morton & Co.	256.24	
Fred A. Houdlette & Son	213.95	
George A. Caldwell Co.	181.25	
Earl C. Fowler	175.40	
Hydraulic Development Co.	144.00	
National-Boston Lead Co.	130.42	
E. L. LeBaron Foundry Co.	119.60	
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co.	97.61	
Misc. items	939.27	
Transfers:		
Equipment	929.45	
Labor	3,851.78	
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Total expended	16,478.64	
Balance to Treasury	2,207.73	
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Total		\$18,686.37

Appropriation, March 2, 1931	16,000.00	
Transfers, Private Work	2,686.37	
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Total		<u>\$18,686.37</u>
Maintenance and Operation:		
Superintendence	920.69	
Weymouth Light & Power Co.	5,635.35	
George W. Sargent	1,804.00	
W. B. Loud	1,117.85	
Earl C. Fowler	292.58	
Fore River Coal Co.	201.54	
R. L. Reed	178.92	
Sargent Bros. Garage	168.58	
Worthington Pump Corp.	162.30	
Pittsburgh Equitable Meter Co.	136.32	
Neptune Meter Co.	127.92	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	105.65	
Misc. items	790.10	
Transfers:		
Equipment	3,326.74	
Labor	15,031.46	
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Total expended		30,000.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		<u>30,000.00</u>
Replacements:		
Superintendence	479.24	
U. S. Pipe & Foundry Co.	3,388.57	
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co.	545.73	
Warren Pipe Co.	336.00	
Hydraulic Development Co.	100.00	
Earl C. Fowler	88.00	
A. C. Trojano	60.00	
Weymouth Asphalt Concrete Co., Inc.	58.72	
E. L. LeBaron Foundry Co.	38.00	
Howard V. Pratt	30.00	
Builders Iron Foundry Co.	26.92	
J. E. Sprague	15.00	
Transfers: Equipment	847.20	
Labor	3,880.45	
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Total expended	9,893.83	
Balance to Treasury	106.17	
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Total		\$10,000.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		<u>\$10,000.00</u>
Equipment:		
Superintendence	231.04	
Schofield's Garage	1,431.98	
F. A. Alden, new truck	1,014.00	
Sargent Bros. Garage	550.10	
Miller Motor Service, new truck	445.00	
Vulcan Toole Mfg. Co.	404.48	
M. P. Garey Ins. Agency	168.00	
Charles H. Chubbuck	167.30	

Miller Motor Service		116.93	
P. I. Perkins		115.33	
Misc. items		1,209.52	
Labor		884.25	
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Total expended		6,737.93	
Balance to Treasury		4,638.30	
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Total			11,376.23
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		4,000.00	
Transfers:			
Major Construction	\$814.77		
Minor Construction	929.45		
Maint. and Oper.	3,326.74		
Replacements	847.20		
Commercial	143.07		
Private Work	1,313.47		
Land Bordering Pond	1.53	7,376.23	
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Total			11,376.23
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Commercial Expenses:			
Superintendence	\$50.00		
Marshall T. Tirrell	1,479.77		
Agnes T. Kelleher	1,312.92		
Alice J. Ashton	897.08		
Marion T. Smith	839.67		
Velma M. Richardson	291.75		
Audrey Reidy	202.00		
Misc. supplies, equipment, etc.	728.84		
Andrew Housman	186.56		
Addressograph Co.	155.94		
Postage, etc.	545.84		
Printing	290.50		
Transfers: Equipment	143.07		
Labor	1,224.15		
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Total expended	8,348.09		
Balance to Treasury	151.91		
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Total			\$8,500.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931			8,500.00
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Salaries:			
George E. Bicknell, chairman and clerk	65.00		
Frank H. Torrey, chairman	20.00		
George W. Perry	40.00		
William A. Connell	40.00		
John H. Stetson	7.78		
Edwin R. Sampson	32.22		
Howard M. Dowd	18.33		
John H. Stetson, Treasurer	77.78		

Edwin R. Sampson, Treasurer	322.22	
Charles E. Stiles, Tem. Treas.	108.32	
Emerson R. Dizer, Accountant	450.00	
Accounting Department	550.00	
Frederic G. Bauer, legal services	100.00	
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Total expended	1,831.65	
Balance to Treasury	243.35	
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Total		\$2,075.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		<u>2,075.00</u>
Interest:		
Due April 1, 1931	905.00	
Due May 1, 1931	1,560.00	
Due July 1, 1931	230.00	
Due Oct. 1, 1931	1,385.00	
Due Nov. 1, 1931	1,603.75	
Due Jan. 1, 1932	200.00	
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Total expended	5,883.75	
Balance to Treasury	324.00	
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Total		\$6,207.75
Appropriation, March 2, 1931	5,622.50	
Refund, First Nat. Bank	580.00	
Accrued on notes issued	5.25	
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Total		<u>\$6,207.75</u>
Note and Bond Retirement:		
Due April 1, 1931	\$5,000.00	
Due May 1, 1931	4,000.00	
Due July 1, 1931	1,500.00	
Due Oct. 1, 1931	1,000.00	
Due Nov. 1, 1931	6,000.00	
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Total expended	\$17,500.00	
Balance to 1932 account	10.21	
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Total		\$17,510.21
Appropriation, March 2, 1931	\$17,467.00	
Balance from 1930 account	33.00	
Premium on notes sold in 1931	10.21	
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Total		<u>\$17,510.21</u>
Private Work:		
Superintendence	\$196.36	
Misc. items	906.25	
Transfers:		
Equipment	\$1,313.47	
Minor Construction	2,686.37	3,999.84
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Labor	1,852.34	
Total expended	6,954.79	
Balance to Treasury	13,045.21	
Total		\$20,000.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		20,000.00
Emergency Pumping Unit:		
Balance from 1930 (unexpended)		<u>\$487.35</u>
Land Bordering Pond:		
Superintendence	\$263.48	
E. E. and M. E. Belcher	8,900.00	
B. J. Killion, Atty.	3,929.33	
Elmer E. Belcher	2,550.00	
E. LaForest Belcher	2,300.00	
South Weymouth Savings Bank	2,110.62	
Frank A. Burbank	2,100.00	
Percy S. Yerxa	2,000.00	
Braman A. Bennett	1,300.00	
J. Holman Pryor	1,000.00	
Lucy M. Thomas	780.00	
Frederic G. Bauer, legal services	500.00	
Charles P. Reidy, testifying	100.00	
Minot E. Hollis, testifying	100.00	
Albert E. Barnes, testifying	100.00	
William L. Doty, testifying	75.00	
J. Leonard Bicknell, testifying	75.00	
Russell H. Whiting, surveying	67.82	
Russell H. Whiting, testifying	10.00	
Misc. items	92.02	
Recording fees, etc.	48.76	
Transfers—Equipment	1.53	
Labor	37.39	
Total Expended	\$28,440.95	
Balance to 1932 account	17,639.47	
Total		\$46,080.42
Appropriation, March 2, 1931	\$16,000.00	
Balance from 1930 account	30,080.42	
Total		<u>\$46,080.42</u>

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

Appropriation Accounts:

Balances from 1930 account:

Major Construction	\$1,212.47
Debt Retirement	33.00

Emergency Pumping Unit	487.35	
Land Bordering Pond	30,080.42	\$31,813.24
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Appropriations, March 2, 1931:		
Major Construction—loan	7,500.00	
Minor Construction	16,000.00	
Maintenance and Operation	30,000.00	
Replacements	10,000.00	
Equipment	4,000.00	
Commercial Expense	8,500.00	
General Salaries	2,075.00	
Interest	5,622.50	
Debt Retirement	17,467.00	
Private Work	20,000.00	
Land Bordering Pond	16,000.00	137,164.50
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Transfer Credits:		
Minor Construction	2,686.37	
Equipment	7,376.23	10,062.60
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Premium on Notes sold		10.21
Accrued interest on notes sold		5.25
Refund—Interest account		580.00
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Total		\$179,635.80
Expended:		
Major Construction	8,232.70	
Minor Construction	16,478.64	
Maintenance and Operation	30,000.00	
Replacements	9,893.83	
Equipment	6,737.93	
Commercial Expenses	8,348.09	
Salaries	1,831.65	
Interest	5,883.75	
Debt Retirement	17,500.00	
Private Work	6,954.79	
Land Bordering Pond	28,440.95	
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Total		\$140,302.33
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Balance unexpended		\$39,333.47
Balance to Treasury		20,716.67
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Forward to 1932 account		\$18,616.80
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The above amount carried forward to the 1932 account is apportioned as follows:

Major Construction	\$479.77
Debt Retirement	10.21
Emergency Pumping Unit	487.35
Land Bordering Pond	17,639.47
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	\$18,616.80
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WATER DEPARTMENT
BALANCE SHEET—DECEMBER 31, 1931

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Treasurer's Cash		Unexpended Appropriation Balances:	
Accounts Receivable:		Major Construction	\$479.77
Water Rents	\$30,025.44	Debt Retirement	10.21
Water Construction	2,530.44	Emergency Pumping Unit	487.35
		Land Bordering Pond	17,639.47
Loan authorized		Revenue Reserved Until Collected	
			32,558.88
		Surplus Revenue	47,177.46
			<u>\$98,350.14</u>

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DEBT ACCOUNTS	
Water Debt	
	Water Loan—Nov. 1, 1914
	Water Loan—May 1, 1921
	Water Loan—Oct. 1, 1924
	Water Loan—April 1, 1925
	Water Loan—May 1, 1926
	Water Loan—July 1, 1926
	Water Loan—April 1, 1927
	Water Loan—April 1, 1927
	Water Loan—May 1, 1928
	Water Loan—May 1, 1929
	Water Loan—Nov. 1, 1929
	Water Loan—April 1, 1930
	Water Loan—May 1, 1931
	<u>\$115,500.00</u>
	\$13,000.00
	5,000.00
	3,000.00
	9,000.00
	-3,000.00
	10,000.00
	2,000.00
	11,000.00
	12,000.00
	13,000.00
	13,000.00
	14,000.00
	7,500.00
	<u>\$115,500.00</u>

TRUST AND INVESTMENT FUNDS

Cash and Securities		
	\$19,000.00	H: S. Moody Land Co. Fund
		N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co. Bonds
	<u>\$19,000.00</u>	
	<u><u>\$19,000.00</u></u>	
		\$2,000.00
		17,000.00
		<u>\$19,000.00</u>
		<u><u>\$19,000.00</u></u>

REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY ACCOUNTS

Land	\$101,250.00	Real and Personal Property	\$1,155,949.66
Buildings	40,600.00		
Personal Property	29,337.21		
Water Mains, pipes, etc.	984,762.45		
	<u>\$1,155,949.66</u>		<u>\$1,155,949.66</u>
	<u><u>\$1,155,949.66</u></u>		<u><u>\$1,155,949.66</u></u>

EMERSON R. DIZER, Town Accountant.

REPORT OF TREASURER FOR WATER DEPARTMENT FOR 1931

To the Board of Water Commissioners of the Town of Weymouth:

RECEIPTS FOR 1931

Water Rents	\$107,431.88
Construction account	6,749.15
Notes—Construction Loan 3½%, 1932/46	7,500.00
Interest, N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Bonds 3½%, 1954	595.00
Interest, Weymouth Trust	194.16
Interest, Weymouth Trust Savings Dept.	1,208.90
Interest, South Weymouth Savings Bank	813.81
Dividend—Casualty Co.	11.48
Premium on Notes	5.25
Interest on Note	10.21
Refund Gas Tax	17.82
Refund October 1, 1931 coupons	580.00
Total	<u>\$125,117.66</u>
Cash on hand January 1, 1931	55,891.33
	<u><u>\$181,008.99</u></u>

PAYMENTS FOR 1931

Paid on Selectmen's Warrants For:	
Notes and Bonds due 1931	\$17,500.00
Interest on Loans	5,883.75
Land Taking	26,139.42
Accounting Dept.	550.00
Sundry appropriations	80,166.56
Total	<u>\$130,239.73</u>
Cash on hand December 31, 1931	50,769.26
	<u><u>\$181,008.99</u></u>

CASH ASSETS

Amount due for Water Rents	\$30,058.17
Amount due on Construction Account	2,497.71
Total	<u>\$32,555.88</u>
Cash on hand December 31, 1931	55,309.80
	<u>\$87,865.68</u>
Less outstanding checks	4,540.54
Cash balance, Total Assets	<u><u>\$83,325.14</u></u>

Due from Weymouth Trust Company	\$10,795.36
Due from Weymouth Trust Company, S. D.	27,625.18
Due from South Weymouth Savings Bank	16,889.26
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	\$55,309.80
Less outstanding checks	4,540.54
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Cash balance December 31, 1931	<u>\$50,769.26</u>

WATER LOAN.

Serial bonds and notes due 1932/46 3½%	\$7,500.00
Serial bonds and notes due 1932/44 4%	61,000.00
Serial bonds and notes due 1932/34 4¼%	3,000.00
Serial bonds and notes due 1932/44 4½%	26,000.00
Serial bonds and notes due 1932/44 5%	18,000.00
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Total	\$115,500.00

INVESTMENTS

H. S. Moody Land Co. Fund—Balance January 1, 1931	\$2,000.00
Interest to December 31, 1931	91.50
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Total	\$2,091.50
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. 3½% Bonds due 1954	\$17,000.00

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN R. SAMPSON

Treasurer.

REPORT OF COLLECTOR FOR WATER DEPARTMENT**From May 8, 1931 to December 31, 1931**

WATER ACCOUNT

Balance due May 8, 1931	\$24,480.45
Charges to December 31, 1931	77,699.66
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	\$102,180.11

WATER ACCOUNT CREDITS

Cash received	\$70,605.03
Abatements	1,516.91
Balance due December 31, 1931	30,058.17
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	\$102,180.11
Paid to Treasurer	\$70,605.03

MATERIAL AND LABOR ACCOUNT

Balance due May 8, 1931	\$1,697.27	
Charges to December 31, 1931	5,539.09	
	<hr/>	\$7,236.36

MATERIAL AND LABOR ACCOUNT CREDITS

Cash received	\$4,701.31	
Abatements	37.34	
Balance due December 31, 1931	2,497.71	
	<hr/>	\$7,236.36
Paid to Treasurer	\$4,701.31	

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN R. SAMPSON

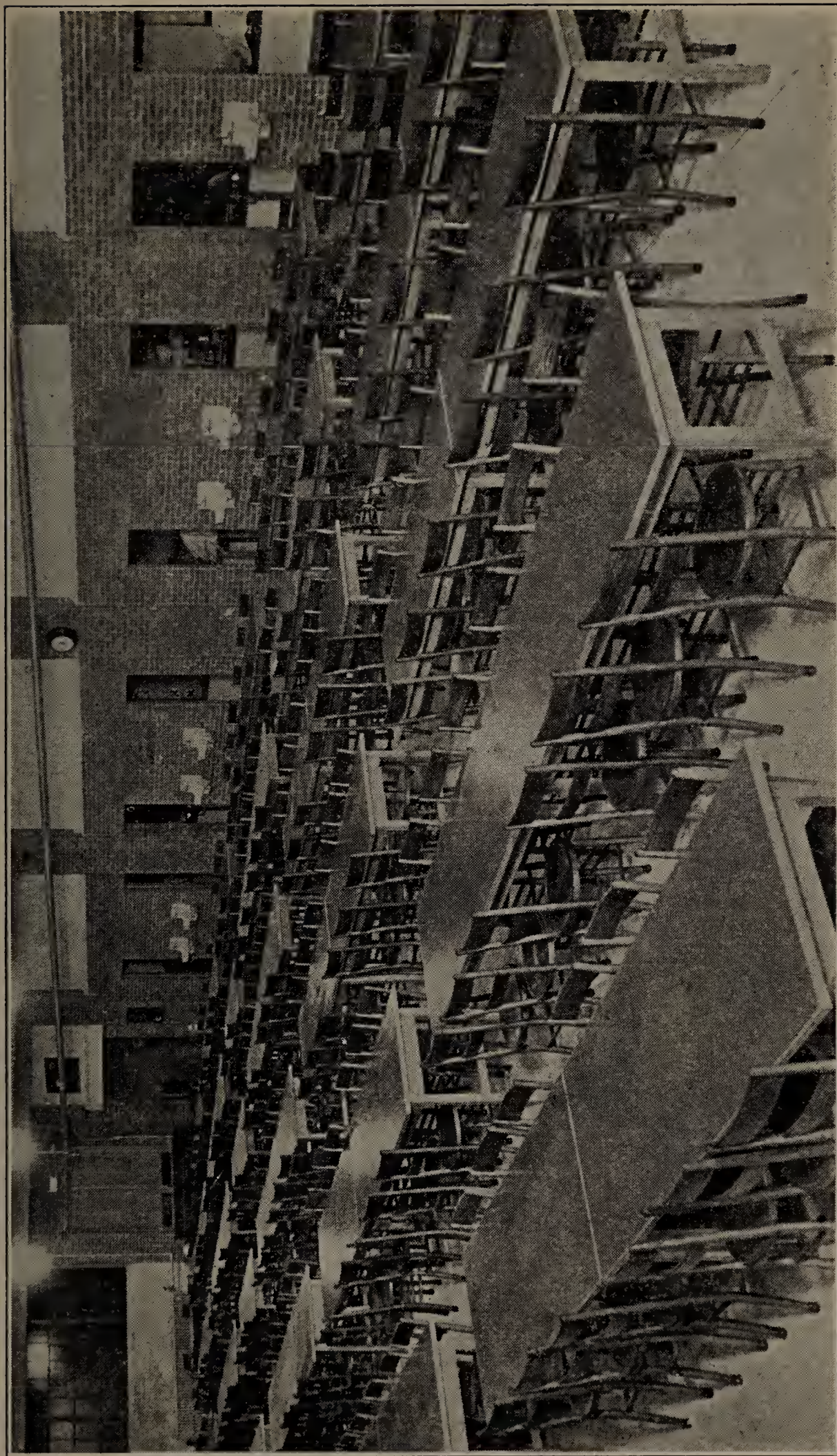
Collector for Water Department.
May 8, 1931 to December 31, 1931

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
School Committee



WEYMOUTH, MASS.

1931



HIGH SCHOOL CAFETERIA

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

WEYMOUTH SCHOOL COMMITTEE

PRINCE H. TIRRELL, Chairman

MRS. ARTHUR R. TAYLOR, Secretary

EDWIN R. SAMPSON	Term Expires April 1, 1932
19 Lincoln Street, North Weymouth	Wey. 0434
MRS. ARTHUR R. TAYLOR	Term Expires April 1, 1932
44 Tower Avenue, South Weymouth	Wey. 1863-W
FRANCIS W. REA	Term Expires April 1, 1933
706 Pleasant Street, East Weymouth	Wey. 1198-M
PRINCE H. TIRRELL	Term Expires April 1, 1933
167 Pleasant Street, South Weymouth	Wey. 2175-M
JOHN P. HUNT	Term Expires April 1, 1934
99 Front Street, Weymouth	Wey. 1889-M
J. HERBERT LIBBY, M. D.	Term Expires April 1, 1934
707 Broad Street, East Weymouth	Wey. 0216

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

PARKER T. PEARSON

590 North Street, East Weymouth Wey. 0520

OFFICE

Weymouth High School, East Weymouth Wey. 1460

OFFICE HOURS:

At High School
Daily: 9.00 to 9.30 A.M.
3.30 to 4.30 P.M.

HELEN G. TONRY, Secretary

79 Chard Street, East Weymouth

MYRTLE L. RICE, Assistant Secretary

79 Front Street, Weymouth

Wey. 1534-M

SCHOOL CALENDAR, 1931-32

FALL TERM—Opens September 9—Closes December 23

WINTER TERM—Opens January 4—Closes February 26

Opens March 7—Closes April 29

SPRING TERM—Opens May 9 Closes June 23

HOLIDAYS—Columbus Day, Armistice Day, Thanksgiving and the day following, Washington's Birthday, Good Friday, Patriots' Day, Memorial Day.

NO SCHOOL SIGNAL

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At 7.30 A. M., No session in any school during the morning.

At 8.00 A. M., No session in Grades I to IV, inclusive during the morning.

At 11.45 A. M., No session in grades I to IV, inclusive, during the afternoon.

At 12.45 P. M., No session in any grade during the afternoon.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

MEETINGS OF THE COMMITTEE

Regular meetings of the School Committee are held the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Building at 7.30 P. M.

ENTRANCE AGE

No child shall be admitted to school in September unless he has reached the age of five on or before the first day of April preceding. Children entering for the first time will be admitted only during the first two weeks of school.

BIRTH CERTIFICATES

A birth certificate is required for entrance to the first grade.

VACCINATION

No child shall be allowed to enter the first grade without a certificate of successful vaccination.

Quotation from State Law, Chapter 76, Section 15: "An unvaccinated child shall not be admitted to a public school except upon presentation of a certificate like the physician's certificate required by Section 182 of Chapter 3."

EMPLOYMENT CERTIFICATES

No child between the ages of fourteen and sixteen shall be allowed to leave school until a signed promise of employment card has been presented to the principal of the building in which he is attending school. Employment certificates are issued by Mr. Charles Y. Berry, at the Hunt School, Weymouth, every week day except Saturday, between the hours of nine and twelve.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

To the Citizens of Weymouth:

The School Committee herewith submits its annual report, details of which are contained in the appended report of the Superintendent of Schools and the reports of the various departments.

There is no indication that the considerable and constant growth in school attendance which has prevailed will cease to continue. The Town has hitherto met such growth with proportionate increase in school buildings and other facilities. At the last annual town meeting provision was made for a new school location at Weymouth Heights and for the preparation of plans for a new schoolhouse to be built thereon. Suitable plans for a six-room school have been perfected by the Committee having the same in charge. More than one hundred and sixty children now resident in the neighborhood would naturally attend a six-room school at such location. The rate of growth in this vicinity, according to the school census, is greater than in any other portion of the Town. We hope that conditions will warrant the construction of the proposed new school during the present year.

A new lunchroom at the High School was built during the past summer under an appropriation of \$15,000.00, which was sufficient for the construction of the addition. This addition was built in the rear of the High School and contains a lunchroom capable of seating six hundred, a kitchen, and storerooms connected therewith. Its use during the past school session has been greatly appreciated and its general appearance and arrangements have been approved by many visitors from other towns and cities. The kitchen has been supplied with new equipment throughout, provided by the earnings of the lunchroom itself, and the value of the whole is considerably in excess of the actual appropriation made by the Town. The construction was under the direction of Clark & Smith, Inc., the architect was Mr. Howard B. S. Prescott, and the work was done on the basis of actual cost and not under contract.

In making up our budget for the coming year, we are following the same plan as heretofore, allowing for the established salary scale and for the automatic increases where such would ordinarily take place. We are aware that matters of municipal finance are of very serious concern in these times, and that all estimates and budgets will be scrutinized with a much more critical eye than ever before. We hope that it will not be found necessary for the Town to curtail the proper maintenance and upkeep of this department.

The work on the Legion Memorial Field during the past year brought the entire playing surface to a usable condition, subject to ordinary maintenance work. It has not been possible to build the tennis courts that are needed. No appropriation is being asked for for this purpose, and we hope that the various improvements that will be needed may be made from time to time without special appropriation.

Mr. Fred O. Stevens has very helpfully worked with the Committee in this project.

A summary of expenditures for the past year and estimates for the coming year follows:

	Expenditures	Estimates
	1931	1932
Superintendent	\$ 5,749.92	\$ 6,500.00
Other General Salaries	2,316.28	3,350.00
Other General Expense	1,671.72	1,800.00
Teachers' Salaries	262,499.74	283,000.00
Text Books and Supplies	19,145.96	18,000.00
Transportation	17,261.80	17,000.00
Support of Truants	94.29	250.00
Tuition	588.36	1,000.00
Janitors	28,724.21	29,000.00
Fuel	12,621.67	11,500.00
Light	2,497.02	2,500.00
Maintenance	41,616.64	35,000.00
Other Expense	977.53	1,000.00
Day Household Arts	4,348.15	5,000.00
Day Industrial	24,425.20	25,000.00
Shoemaking	4,827.17	4,800.00
Evening Practical Arts	850.23	1,200.00
Total	<u>\$430,215.89</u>	<u>\$445,900.00</u>

PRINCE H. TIRRELL, Chairman

ETHEL G. TAYLOR, Secretary
(Mrs. Arthur R.)

JOHN P. HUNT

J. HERBERT LIBBY, M. D.

FRANCIS W. REA

EDWIN R. SAMPSON

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Members of the School Committee:

I take pleasure in presenting to you my twenty-third report, the forty-sixth in the series of annual reports of superintendents of this Town. Included are the reports of the Principal of the High School and the heads of the various departments. As these reports deal in a satisfactory manner with the various activities of the school system, I shall not go into further detail, but shall confine myself to a few topics which may be of interest or need discussion.

POPULATION

Census of 1930			20,799
SCHOOL CENSUS			
(as of October 1)			
	1930	1931	Increase
5 to 7 years	697	673	
7 to 14 years	2,941	3,179	
14 to 16 years	809	804	
Total	4,447	4,656	209

ENROLLMENT

(for school year ended June 18, 1931)

	1930	1931	Increase
Total number enrolled	4,245	4,420	175
Average Daily Membership	4,061	4,267	206
Average Daily Attendance	3,836	3,981	145
Per cent Attendance	94.46	93.28	
Per cent Attendance (State)	94.49	94.09	

SCHOOL BUILDINGS

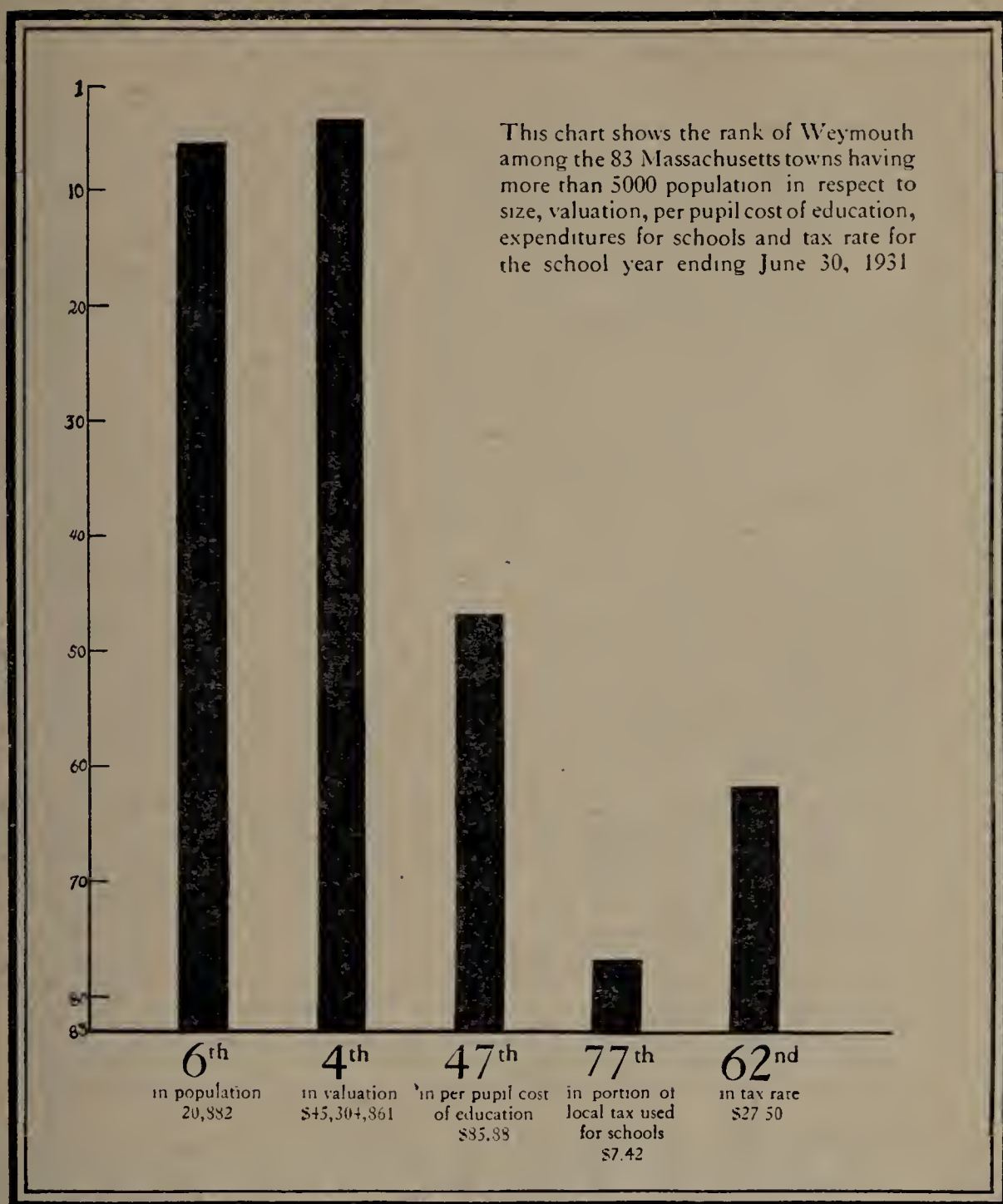
	1930	1931	Increase
Number of buildings	15	15	
Number of classrooms	160	163	3
Number of halls	4	4	
Number of gymnasiums	4	4	
Number of cafeterias	0	1	1

INSTRUCTORS

	1930	1931	Increase
High School	53	55	2
Elementary grades	103	110	7
Opportunity classes	2	2	0
Special	12	13	1
	170	180	10

COST OF EDUCATION

Valuation, December 31, 1931			\$46,455,905.00
Expenditures, 1931			430,215.89
Average cost per pupil	1930	1931	Increase
All schools; Weymouth	\$85.85	\$85.88	\$.03
All schools, State	100.66	100.77	.11



The accompanying chart is presented to give a graphic view of the exact position of this town in comparison with others in the State, the figures being taken from the last report of the Board of Education. There are 83 towns in Massachusetts of 5,000 or over in population. In this group Weymouth ranks 6th in size, 4th in valuation, 47th in average cost of education per pupil, 77th in the amount spent from local taxation, and 62nd in tax rate. In a comparison between the 4th and 5th items, consideration should be given to the fact that the town receives a heavy reimbursement from State and Federal governments for various school activities, which reduces the net cost of the schools to the town. Some may ask, "Just what does the \$7.42 mean?" It is safe to assume that the average home in Weymouth is valued at about \$4,500.00. At \$7.42 per thousand the school cost upon that home is \$33.39, or less than the cost of compulsory insurance upon the ordinary automobile.

SCHOOL ACCOMMODATIONS

In last year's report attention was called to the fact that the school population was rapidly increasing and that immediate provision should be made for three elementary buildings of six rooms each, to be constructed; one at Weymouth Heights, one in the center of the Town, and one on Union Street.

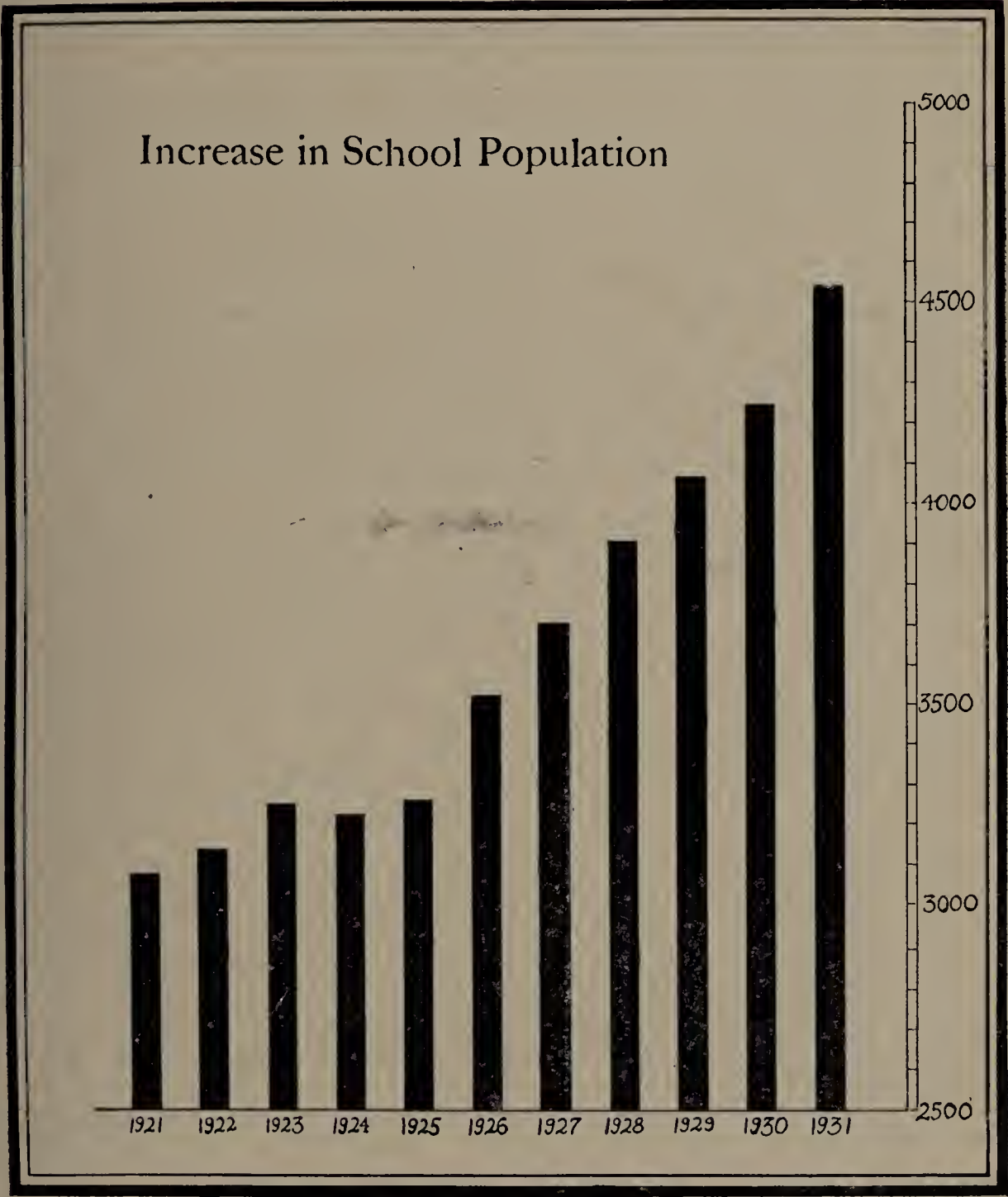
The school census shows that during the last three years there has been a larger increase in the number of school children than in any similar period in the history of the Town; 227 in 1929; 233 in 1930; and 209 in 1931; a total increase of 669 pupils.

The accompanying graph, however, is based, not on the school census, but on the totals taken from the registers as of the close of each school year in June, and shows the exact number of pupils that have been enrolled during the school year. The enrollment for 1929 was 4,070; for 1930, 4,245; for 1931, 4,420. Since the close of school in June there has been a further increase of 230, making a total increase in a little more than four years of 580, a number sufficient to fill nearly seventeen rooms of thirty-five pupils each.

It has always been the policy of the department to ask for new building construction only as needed in each section, and not to overbuild, as it is impossible to tell whether growth in any section will be constant from year to year.

Last year the Town appropriated the money for purchasing the Whitman Lot at Weymouth Heights, and provided for the preparation of preliminary plans for a six-room building. The wisdom of this action is shown from the census figures. Of the 209 increase shown by the school census of this year, 153 are in Ward 1. Of the 162 children who are entitled to attend school in Precinct 9, 88 have been placed in the present two-room structure, and the balance, 72, in the buildings in North Weymouth, East Weymouth, or Weymouth. Five children who moved to Weymouth Heights in December were sent to East Weymouth schools, and three small children in one family were placed in three different buildings. Many of the children in this precinct have to walk nearly two miles, and twice, owing to complaints lodged with the State Department of Education, agents of that board have been sent to measure the distances to see that the children were not walking over two miles. Exact measurement showed that in one case the distance was one mile and nine-tenths.

The plans that have been prepared for the new buildings are of a type new to this town; bungalow with no basement except for boiler and storage purposes. This type of building can be constructed at far less cost than any other and provides immediate exit for all children from doors opening directly on the ground. The building should be constructed immediately, as it is no longer possible to provide for the overflow in other sections of the town to which the children are being sent at present. The hall is in use in the Bicknell School. It has been necessary to open two extra rooms at the Hunt School, where all the room will be required for pupils of that ward next year. This plan of building six-room elementary schools is in accord with the policy of establishing small schools for the first six grades so that the children may not have to walk more than a mile to school.



CHANGES IN THE TEACHING FORCE

RESIGNATIONS

High School	Lucille O. Jones
	Helen E. Mayer
	Edith A. Sanborn
	F. Louis Whitford
James Humphrey School	Gertrude M. Burns
Hunt School	Catherine E. McKenzie

APPOINTMENTS

High School	Inez E. Hoag
	Ruth A. Thompson
Junior Annex	Priscilla M. Sargent
Adams School	Helen G. Lebbossiere
Bicknell School	Philip T. Jones
James Humphrey School	Josephine E. Ray
Hunt School	Robert E. Mitchell
	Nunzie C. Daniele
	Kathryn L. Regan
	A. Alberta Richmond
Center Portable	Alice Owen
Edward B. Nevin School	David A. J. Burns
	Marion E. Brown
	Norma R. Brown
Pond School	Thelma Salzgeber
	Dorothy M. Fitzpatrick
Superintendent's Office	Myrtle L. Rice, Assistant Secretary

RETURNED FROM LEAVE OF ABSENCE

High School	Ernestine R. Canning
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TRANSFERS

Alene E. Clifford	Edward B. Nevin to High School
Eleanor Freeman	Junior Annex to High School
Ruth E. Funk	Pond to Junior Annex
John F. Martin	Hunt to High School
Flora H. McGrath	High School to Director of Courses of Study
Florence A. McKenzie	Center Portable to Hunt School
Genevieve A. Perkins	Hunt to Edward B. Nevin School

Of the six teachers entered under resignations, two accepted positions in other school systems, one position was made vacant because of a change in the character of the work, two were dropped under the married woman clause, and one resigned to take up another line of work.

Of the sixteen appointees, six are college graduates, and ten are normal graduates, divided as to years of training as follows: one of four years, three of three years, and six of two years. Of this number, five have had previous teaching experience.

New positions have been opened during the year as follows: two at the High School, one at the Adams, one at the Bicknell, two at the Hunt, two in the portable at the Nevin, a new Director of Courses of Study, as noted elsewhere in the report, and an assistant has been placed in the first grade at the Shaw.

DIRECTOR OF COURSES OF STUDY

In accordance with the vote taken last March, a Director of Courses of Study has been employed as an assistant in this office. Mrs. Flora Haviland McGrath, a graduate of the Curry School of Expression and of Boston University, with the degrees of Bachelor of Science in Education and Master of Science in Education, was chosen. In addition to her experience as a teacher, Mrs McGrath has had experience as a reader and dramatist.

Some may wonder why a Director is needed. Consideration should be given to the fact that for years Supervisors of single subjects have been employed. It has been left for the Superintendent of Schools, in addition to his regular duties of supervising all general instruction, of supervising repairs, and of planning for new construction, to have the entire charge of the supervision of the four most important subjects; namely, English, Mathematics, History, and Geography. It is logical to assume that the more important subjects should receive closer supervision than the less, but the converse has been true in many Massachusetts towns.

Mrs. McGrath has entered upon her work with a great deal of enthusiasm. I feel sure that she realizes the amount of work to be done, and can assure the public at large that a wide field with tremendous opportunities is open to her.

EVENING PRACTICAL ARTS CLASSES

It is interesting to note that there has been very little, if any, decrease in the size of evening school classes, either in this town or throughout the state. According to state records, there were 9,024 women enrolled in 450 classes for Dressmaking and Foods. In Weymouth 85 women enrolled in four different classes for these same subjects, or an average of 21 per class.

The fact that only 43 completed all units would seem to indicate that the expense of furnishing material was greater than many could afford. The aim of the course should be to develop the ability to utilize make-over material just as much as to create new, and it is hoped that no one will feel that a large expenditure is necessary in order to profit by all units of work.

The per cent of attendance was 80.26. This record might easily be improved, provided those enrolled are careful to inform the teacher promptly at the time of leaving. It is necessary to carry a student for three consecutive nights, unless otherwise notified.

The following schedules show the values involved:

DRESSMAKING

Total cost of material	\$ 732.64
Total value of product	2,479.00
Average cost per pupil for material	15.92
Average value of product	53.89

FOODS

Total cost of material	88.35
Total value of product	126.75
Average cost per pupil for material	7.36
Average value of product	10.56

CHADWICK CLINIC

Immediately following the re-opening of school in September preparations were made looking toward the operation of the Chadwick Clinic under the auspices of the State Department of Public Health, Dr. Paul Wakefield in charge. Explicit information relative to the Von Pirquet Test and its purpose and a blank for the approval of the parent were sent to the home.

The active work of the Clinic was begun on December 3, and the examinations completed just before Christmas vacation. The final figures have not yet been presented by the State Department of Public Health. They should make an interesting field for study and comment next year.

Roughly speaking, however, nearly thirty-seven hundred children were examined. I am assured by the State authorities that, in comparison with the total number of children in Weymouth schools, the percentage of those examined in this town is larger than in other places where the Clinic has been held. Of the number examined, slightly less than two hundred were found positive. This does not mean active tuberculosis. It means that the X-ray showed scar tissue or shadows, as the aftermath of pneumonia or other illness, and that the parents should consequently be warned to give careful consideration to the health habits of such children. As far as we know now no active cases were discovered in the public schools of this town.

PROPOSED DENTAL CLINIC

At the time the District Nurse Association started the Dental Clinic, it was intended to have dentists do the work of filling and extracting the teeth of those pupils whose parents were unable to bear the expense. This part of the work has been neglected, due to the pressure of other matters, the School Department confining itself merely to prophylactic treatment and the instruction of the children in the proper care of their teeth.

Through the efforts of Miss Alice A. Conroy, the Dental Hygienist, and with the assistance of Miss Herberta L. Stockwell, the School Nurse at the High School and the Junior Annex, the dentists of the town have agreed to give a certain portion of their time for work on the teeth of those who absolutely require dental treatment. Owing to business conditions in this town a large and growing percentage of the children are having their teeth neglected at a time when lack of treatment means loss of their permanent teeth.

Assurances have been received from the Red Cross and other local organizations making it possible to cover the cost of materials necessary.

Such service is truly helpful, and I wish to express my hearty appreciation for the co-operation of these different agencies in making the proposed clinic possible.

MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS

For a number of years items have appeared under maintenance which were formerly covered by special articles in the warrant. The macadam surface on the grounds of the Athens, Jefferson and Washington schools, the additional grading around the Hunt School, the original equipment of the new cafeteria at the High School and the extra work necessitated in the old building on account of the construction of this addition, coming under this heading, should be considered as outlay rather than maintenance.

The repairs recommended last year were more nearly completed than in any previous year.

1931 REPAIRS

Athens School	Part of yard covered with macadam Seats for hall Furniture for teachers' room Minor repairs
Bicknell School	Additional seats for hall Some painting and grading Minor repairs
James Humphrey School	Flushometer valves Minor repairs
Jefferson School	Macadam surface for yard Boundary fence Assembly chairs Repairs to roof Minor repairs

Washington School	Macadam surface for yard Minor repairs
Hunt School	Grading Division of basement into lunch, manual training, and sewing rooms Gymnasium shades Minor repairs
Center Portable	Installation of oil burner Minor repairs
Pratt School	Boundary fence Minor repairs
Shaw School	New bubblers Blackboards resurfaced Minor repairs
Edward B. Nevin School	Installation of oil burner in portable Repairs to portable Re-laying of drainage system from building Chimney re-topped Minor repairs
Pond School	Painting Minor repairs
High School	Original equipment for cafeteria, tables, chairs, etc. Extra maintenance in old building to provide for plumbing, electrical and heating connections Maintenance of Legion Memorial Field Painting Drainage and cement work to keep water away from rear of building Repairs to roof and parapet Labor on grounds Stage curtain Minor repairs

SCHOOL CENSUS
(as of October 1, 1931)

	5 to 7 years	7 to 14 years	14 to 16 years	Total
BOYS				
Ward I	102	406	98	606
Ward II	88	441	116	645

Ward III	55	257	61	373
Ward IV	42	230	53	325
Ward V	56	255	49	360
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Total	343	1589	377	2309
GIRLS				
Ward I	88	410	125	623
Ward II	84	469	130	683
Ward III	65	255	57	377
Ward IV	53	242	69	364
Ward V	40	214	46	300
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Total	330	1590	427	2347
GRAND TOTAL	673	3179	804	4656

DISTRIBUTION OF ABOVE MINORS

Public Day School	421	2898	757	4076
Private Schools	64	273	37	374
Not enrolled in any school	188	7	4	199
Working	0	0	6	6
County and State Schools	0	1	0	1
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Total	673	3179	804	4656

The census enumerators report eleven children not enrolled in any school. One has moved to another Town and two have returned to school since October 1. Two are mentally unable to profit by instruction, three are receiving such private instruction as is necessary, two are excused from attendance for temporary illness, leaving one that might come under the provision of the act for crippled children mentioned in previous reports.

ATTENDANCE

(For School Year ended June 18, 1931)

Total Number Enrolled	4,420
Average Daily Membership	4,267.28
Average Daily Attendance	3,980.70
Per Cent of Attendance	93.28
HIGHEST BUILDING	
Junior Annex	96.12
HIGHEST ROOMS	
James Humphrey—Grade VI	97.86
Junior Annex—Grade VIII	97.84
Jefferson—Grade IV	97.82
Hunt—Grade VIII	97.36
Junior Annex—Grade VIII	97.11

EMPLOYMENT CERTIFICATES

Weymouth Minors between the ages of 14 and 16:

Total number in Town, October 1, 1931	804
Total number employed in Town, 1931	17
Total number employed elsewhere, 1931	2

Outside Minors between the ages of 14 and 16:

Total number employed in Town, 1931	2
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Note:—On December 31, the actual number of Weymouth minors between the ages of 14 and 16 that were employed was 3; 2 in Weymouth and 1 in Boston.

WEYMOUTH HIGH SCHOOL

(Report of Mr. F. W. Hilton, Principal)

In submitting my annual report, I wish to express appreciation for our new lunchroom, which, in a way, is a completion of our High School plant, and fills a long-felt want. We have heard rumors that we are now able to accommodate all the pupils in one lunch period. This would necessitate the feeding of between 1400 and 1500 persons at one time. We wish to correct this impression and state that the capacity of our new lunch room is approximately 500, with a possibility of extending to 600 under crowded conditions. This enables us to feed our present enrollment in three relays, so that we feel justified in saying that our lunchroom facilities are not extravagant. The kitchen equipment is thoroughly modern, and the service for a single relay is completed in from five to seven minutes. The tables, which we think are exceptionally fine, were made in our own shops. We are justly proud of the new addition. To show that it is appreciated by the students, and is a real necessity, I might say that between 400 and 500 sales are recorded in each relay.

Our home-room facilities, which were increased by two rooms at the beginning of the 1931-32 school year, give us at present thirty-one home rooms with a seating capacity of 1187. Inasmuch as all the rooms have been utilized for the past two years, the taking of additional rooms for High School use means a loss of rooms for the Junior Annex pupils, who are housed in the same building. If our school population increases in the next few years as it has in the past, it will necessitate a demand for additional Junior Annex housing facilities for the seventh and eighth grades of East Weymouth.

Our total enrollment for the present year to November 25 has been 1109, classified as follows:

BY SEX

	Boys	Girls	Total
Freshmen	146	206	352
Sophomores	154	170	324
Juniors	93	159	252
Seniors	59	98	157
Post Graduates	12	12	24
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BY COURSES

	Fresh.	Soph.	Juniors	Seniors	P. Grad.	Tot.
Classical	99	86	52	40	2	279
Technical	38	35	20	15	1	109
Business	163	161	137	67	11	539
General	24	23	30	17	10	104
Agricultural	3	5	6	7	0	21
Practical Arts	25	14	7	11	0	57
	<hr/> 352	<hr/> 324	<hr/> 252	<hr/> 157	<hr/> 24	<hr/> 1109

Our freshman class, numbering 352, comes from various sections of the Town under the following classifications:

	Total
Bicknell	58
Junior Annex	100
Hunt	52
Nevin	34
Pratt	19
Shaw	14
Other Schools	39
Repeaters	36
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Allowing for decreases during the year by loss of membership and graduation, approximating 109 for lost membership and 181 for seniors and post graduates, we should have an enrollment of 819 in the three upper classes for the next school year. The estimated entering class for the next year is 370. This, without a doubt, will cause us considerable difficulty in finding room, unless something is done in the way of providing facilities for the pupils of the Junior Annex.

In some parts of the country, investigation has been made in regard to the possibility of economizing by increasing the teaching loads, and in some cases it has been found that classes up to 40 or 50 have been successfully carried without an undue number of failures. This, however, does not seem practical in all subjects, and would create a serious problem with a majority of our rooms capable of seating from 25 to 35 pupils. In a recent investigation carried on as a study by members of the Judd Club of Chicago, there were something like a thousand educators in different sections of the country, who were asked to answer definite questions relating to such problems. From their tabulated replies, it was the consensus of opinion of 23 per cent that the number of pupils that any one teacher should meet on any day should not be more than 100, of 33 per cent that it should not be more than 125, and of 27 per cent that it should not be more than 150 pupils. This would mean with a teaching program of five periods per day, which is about our average, that our classes should not exceed 30, and that the majority of classes should be in the neighborhood of 25. In subjects that need considerable individual attention, there is little doubt that classes of 20 will make for more uniform and thorough work. In other subjects where lecture methods are possible and in subjects such as physical education, much larger groups can be successfully handled. Another question of considerable interest in their investigation was the cause of pupil failure. Practically 47 per cent of the replies included the poor methods of study and lack of regular home preparation. Only 7 per cent included lack of ability, 10 per cent, irregular attendance, and 15 per cent, poor foundation. The other principal cause was lack of interest in the work. In suggesting a remedy for failures, the most popular reply was that a minimum essential should be outlined and required from all pupils, and additional work should be required from those capable of doing more than the essentials.

The changes in our staff of teachers for the past year have been comparatively small. Mrs. McGrath, teacher of English and Public Speaking, has been advanced to the position of Director of Courses of Study in the grades, but will continue to coach our dramatics. Miss Mayer, who was a member of our modern language staff, received an appointment in the Boston School Department. Miss Sanborn of our English Department was married, and Miss Jones of our Physical Education Department went to Wellesley. Miss Canning, who has been absent on a year's leave for study in France, has returned. Miss Clifford was appointed to fill the vacancy left by Miss Sanborn, and Miss Freeman was appointed to fill the vacancy left by Miss Mayer. Miss Hoag was appointed to fill the position of Physical Instructor for girls. Two new teachers were added: Mr. Martin for freshmen subjects, and Miss Ruth A. Thompson for commercial work.

The library continues to improve, and is, I believe, serving a very great need in teaching methods of individual investigation and study suggested by the various departments of the school. We also supply an excellent selection of current literature, which is available for student use. Methods on the use of the library are given primarily to the freshman class, in order that it may be of use to them throughout their course.

Our outside activities seem to be in a healthy condition. Various clubs show student interest in languages, science, and athletics. The school paper is functioning with its usual success under the care of Mr. Brown. We have enjoyed the facilities of our new Athletic Field, and hope that in the near future this Memorial Field may be completed in all its details. While we do not wish to over-emphasize the commercial aspect of athletics, and wish primarily to use them as a means of development, we do not under-estimate the benefit derived from an enclosed field in the way of enabling us to provide suitable equipment for offering a more diversified program.

Regardless of fine equipment and extra curricula activities, we must not lose track of the fact that we are principally an educational institution, and work hard for solid attainment along educational lines. With our Vocational Department, Agricultural Department, Business and various College Preparatory groups, we offer a very excellent program to the youth of our town, and we trust that our students are giving sufficient serious attention to the matter of equipping themselves with a suitable preparation for their life work. It is largely through his individual effort that a student successfully attains an education. We trust that both parents and teachers will impress this fact upon every pupil. Whatever we can do to stimulate interest and remove difficulties, we are anxious to do. Whatever success we may have, we may attribute to mutual co-operation on the part of the student, parent and teacher. Let us not be satisfied with the meagre attainment, but strive to reach a standard commensurate with our individual ability. Remember that adequate regular preparation is necessary for success in school just as in every line of work, and to my mind, this is bound to produce entirely satisfactory results, for even if our possibilities are slight, if we do our best, there should be no criticism of results.

In closing I wish to give special mention to those who have earned scholarship awards from various sources, as follows:

Monday Club	Sadie A. Lambe
Weymouth Teachers' Association	John H. Anderson
Weymouth Teachers' Association	John J. Moulton
Weymouth Teachers' Association	John P. Veerling
Weymouth High School Alumni	Marie E. Conroy
Weymouth High School Alumni	Josephine M. Caruso
Weymouth High School Varsity Club	John J. Moulton
Town Basketball League	John P. Veerling
Town Basketball League	Alfred D. Caton
Medal for Meritorious Progress (Gift of Class of 1921)	John H. Anderson
Washington and Franklin Medal (For excellence in American History)	Norman L. Foskett

We hope that these awards will be an incentive to all students and that they will be given for good attainment plus worthy effort, and that the effort shall be fully as important as the attainment.

VOCATIONAL SCHOOL

(Report of Mr. Francis E. Whipple, Jr. Director)

During the past year we have participated in three exhibitions. Two were held in Weymouth and included all departments, while the third was in New York City and was limited to printing.

The first one, our own annual exhibition, came on Thursday evening, April 23, when about 400 parents and friends attended a short musical entertainment in the hall followed by open house in the school building. Every department was in full operation, working on regular jobs going through at the time. In addition there was a display of finished work which enabled the visitors to see exactly what skill we develop in the students.

A few weeks later the Weymouth Chamber of Commerce held a Trade Show at South Weymouth, and through its generosity and that of Mr. Walter H. Field, the director, we were given the use of the entire balcony for our display. With such liberal space, a thoroughly representative exhibit of the products of all departments was arranged. Through this display we reached a large section of the public not acquainted with the work of the school.

The third exhibition was at the annual Conference on Printing Education sponsored by the United Typothetae of America in New York City in June. Here were gathered displays from sixty-six representative schools of printing in the United States. Our collection of samples compared very favorably with those shown and was unique in being that of one of two schools displaying jobs done in the modern style of printing which has attained great popularity in the past few years. The modern style is a radical change from what has previously been popular and requires somewhat different type faces and treatment. We try to keep abreast of improvements in this line by teaching the latest trends in the industry.

Our shoemaking department had its share of attention in the spring, when it was the subject of a very fine article in "Shoe Factory," a national magazine of particular interest to the shoe trade. Pictures of the school and a complete outline of the course were included.

The interest in courses this year shows an even more pronounced trend toward automobile repair than ever before. If facilities permitted, we would have had a freshman class in this department of about 35, but room is at such a premium that only 23 have been admitted. Even this number is really too large to be handled satisfactorily in the limited space at our disposal. The State Department of Education recommends a floor area of 150 sq. ft. per pupil for automobile work. We have a total of 1900 sq. ft. for 23 boys, giving a per pupil area of slightly more than 82 sq. ft. In the other courses printing shows an increase, while carpentry and cabinetmaking and shoemaking show losses. At the close of school in June it appeared that there would be only 17 boys in the wood-working department. After school opened some of those who could not take automobile repair and a few from other sources elected this course, bringing the total up to 23. The reason for so few taking shoemaking is, of course, the poor working condition in the industry at the present time.

The table below shows in detail the total enrollment for this year :

	I	II	III	Total
Auto Repair	23	17	6	46
Carpentry	11	5	7	23
Printing	15	5	3	23
Shoemaking	5	7	7	19
	<hr/> 54	<hr/> 34	<hr/> 23	<hr/> 111

Plans for increased efficiency and improved working conditions have been carried out as far as possible. In the cabinet shop the equipment layout was changed so that machines used at the same time would be grouped together and so that the benches would be under the windows. The automobile shop walls and floor have been painted and steel lockers for the boys' working clothes provided. This work greatly improves the appearance of the shop. The printing department has been provided with several new stock storage cabinets and a drying rack, made in the cabinet shop. Moderate additions also have been made to the type supply in the way of some of the newer faces.

The past year has, on the whole, been an especially pleasant and successful one. This has been possible through the co-operation of students, faculty and parents to the end that our graduates may be well trained in the various trades offered.

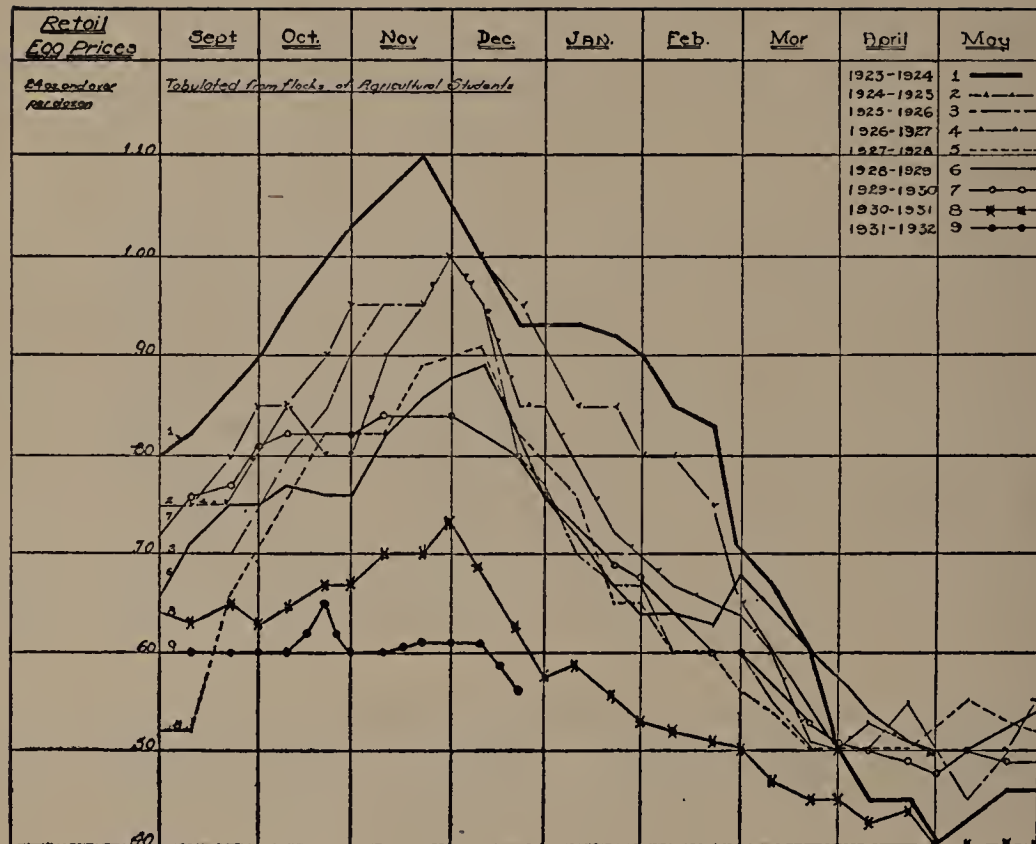
AGRICULTURE

(Report of Mr. Hilmer S. Nelson, Agricultural Instructor
in charge of the Weymouth Branch of the
Norfolk County Agricultural School)

Our motto, "We learn to do by doing," is being strengthened yearly by the acquisition of real jobs where the students actually participate in the duties of a "farmer," if he can be called such in these days of specialization. We find greater interest manifested in this type of work, not only in the classroom study period, but in the field where manual labor has contact with constructive thinking. To date we have practical work in the following subjects: poultry, gardening, dairying, greenhouse, and floricultural work, and cow testing association activities; in the near future we are hoping to secure an orchard to be used for demonstration as well as practical purposes. With these various projects as means of personal student activity, our field of agricultural teaching has broadened considerably on a vocational basis since the inception of this course in 1916.

The total student enrollment as of December 31, 1931 is twenty-one, divided as follows:

Seniors	7
Juniors	6
Sophomores	5
Freshmen	3
	<hr/> 21



Our freshman class of three is rather small, which is accounted for by the strictness with which we accept candidates for enrollment. Our initial request for admittance was eight. Project requirements often discourage our applicants, because we desire only those who are vitally interested in a vocational agricultural education and who mean "business" while in the course. As a result, our graduates either go to college to further their education in agriculture or continue in the field of their endeavor, agriculture. Very few follow other vocations.

During our last project year (October 15, 1930 to October 14, 1931), our home ownership projects were confined primarily to poultry enterprises, which comprised twenty of the twenty-three projects, the others being two garden projects and one dairy (goat) project. The total sales of produce from these projects amounted to \$3,604.33, which involved about 5,000 hours of student labor. As the years progress, we find that supervised agricultural work (which includes labor accomplished outside of school time and not including the home ownership project) is taking the place of the home project because of the greater experience secured on the actual farm job, the lack of land at the home, and possibly insufficient financial backing in the home, especially during the last year of world-wide depression. If the student's home conditions do not provide suitable means for practical work, he must go elsewhere. Home projects are encouraged during the freshman and sophomore years, but

in the junior and senior years outside supervised agricultural work must be resorted to in most cases. The number of hours of this "on the job" farm work for this past year totalled 17,237 with a value of \$2,587.74. This is an increase of 4,438 hours over the previous project year with four less students, but a loss in labor value of \$512.26, due possibly to the depression period. We feel confident that our boys did very fine work and showed a great deal of spirit and co-operation with the helpful encouragement of the parents.

Items of Interest:

1. We are still enjoying the splendid co-operation of Mr. Albert Kress of Hingham, who so generously permits our senior-junior group to work on his dairy farm one forenoon each week, participating in the many farm operations.

2. The inclusion this year of the use of the greenhouses of Mr. Myron Ford of East Weymouth has afforded our freshman-sophomore group an ideal laboratory of practical experience. One forenoon each week is devoted to this work, which is of a seasonal nature. Mr. Ford is a splendid co-operator who gives us much of his time and experience. In conjunction with this business enterprise we have the use of a small lean-to greenhouse belonging to the parents of one of our sophomore students, K. J. MacLeod of North Weymouth. Here we conduct exercises and experiments with other practical work, such as potting, plant propagation and the like. We hope that in the not too distant future we may secure a small greenhouse attached to the High School where many experiments and practical jobs may be conducted. This project could be managed jointly with the Supervisor of Gardens, Miss Sarah E. Brassill, and this department.

3. This fall (1931) we started in a small way some very interesting practical work in testing the dairy herds of two of our former graduates, Edward M. Dwyer of Weymouth Landing and Thomas M. Chisholm of South Weymouth. These jobs have been given to seniors as a project assignment which is carried on for a year. These enterprises consist of actual student participation in dairy herd improvement association work with its many phases of taking samples of milk, testing the milk, calculation of feed and milk costs, etc.

4. The C. L. Merritt Award of \$5.00 in cash was given to F. Newcomb Andrews (a 1931 graduate) for meritorious progress in agricultural work during his years as an agricultural student. Mr. Merritt is our Town Tree Warden and Trustee of the Norfolk County Agricultural School, of which this department is a branch. A similar award will be given in 1932 at graduation time.

5. Special recognition should be given to our two judging teams which won high honors at the Massachusetts Interscholastic Judging Contests held in November, 1931 at the Massachusetts State College at Amherst. The poultry judging team of James H. Smith, Harold W. Fay and Arnold C. Hirt secured a beautiful silver cup emblematic of high team, a gold medal, and a book on poultry judging. The livestock judging team, consisting of James H. Smith, Kenneth K. Randall and Garland G. Bell, also secured a beautiful

silver cup emblematic of high team, one silver and one bronze medal. These boys are to be congratulated for their splendid work.

We cannot close without extending to our Superintendent of Schools, Mr. Parker T. Pearson, and to our Principal of the High School, Mr. F. W. Hilton, our sincere appreciation for their support of the activities of this department.

COURSES OF STUDY

(Report of Mrs. Flora Haviland McGrath
Director of Courses of Study)

When a course of study has been used for a number of years, it becomes necessary to revise it in order to discard methods and subject-matter which are no longer effective, and to adopt those procedures and that subject-matter which is necessary to meet the demands of the present. Such a revision has become necessary in the course of study in use in the Weymouth Public School System in order to establish uniformity and unity in the subject-matter taught throughout the Town.

In order to make this revision, due consideration must be given to the principles set forth by modern educators and to the courses of study in use in other towns and cities. Wherever a careful study indicates a chance for improvement in the Weymouth course, the ideas are being adopted or modified to meet our needs. Each course of study is being made by the director assisted by an advisory committee made up of four teachers from each grade.

Inasmuch as the first subject to be considered has been English, preliminary to the revision, a complete survey of language errors has been made throughout the entire town in Grades IV and V by means of the Wilson Language Error Tests. A record has been made of the work of each pupil, the median for each class has been found, and these medians have been compared with those of other parts of the town. Each teacher has been informed of her class median and the relation that median bears to those of other schools. Approximately eight hundred tests have been given. The most common errors have been recorded and specific work for correction has been placed in the course of study in English under "Common Errors."

This testing will be repeated in February and again in May. Each time the median should show an increase of at least three to five points if satisfactory corrective work has been done in language.

A complete revision of the courses of study in English for Grades IV, V, and VI has been made, and that for Grades VII and VIII is in the process of reconstruction.

Approximately eight hundred tests have been given in arithmetic in Grades V and VI and the same method followed in regard to finding and reporting the medians as has been followed in the language error tests. A similar test will be given in February.

Questionnaires on geographies and readers were sent out to each teacher. The results have given an excellent basis for the future reorganization of courses of study in these subjects.

Each subject will be studied in a similar manner, and modifications and adoptions which seem appropriate will be made.

DENTAL CLINIC

(Report of Miss Alice A. Conroy, Dental Hygienist)

The annual campaign for healthier mouths has proved more successful this year. Of the 2,172 children examined, 1,814 had carious teeth. At this time 159 were eligible to be enrolled on the Dental Honor Roll, while at the close of school in June a total of 496 had been enrolled. The third and fifth grades at the Edward B. Nevin School in South Weymouth ranked highest by having 56.4% and 48.8% respectively, enrolled on the Honor Roll. It was very interesting to note the number of children entering school in September holding dental certificates as a result of the Pre-school Clinic.

The Prophylactic Clinic still continues with its work. There were 950 children given prophylactic treatment this year at a charge of fifteen cents each. The enrollment has increased to such an extent that it is impossible to reach all buildings in Town once a year. Because of this, the number receiving treatment in each building has increased during the stay of the clinic. The James Humphrey School in East Weymouth has a record of 100% clean for the entire building. This is the first time this mark has been reached by any building.

Much can be said with reference to dental decay. It is very prevalent in all school children and does much toward lowering the resistance of the child. Every year many hundreds of notices are sent home to the parents notifying them of the presence of dental decay. Much corrective work has been done, but it is next to impossible for all parents to have these defects corrected in time or even at all in many cases. Because of this, temporary teeth are lost long before they should be, and six-year molars decay without being recognized as second teeth. If some provision could be made in the town whereby these conditions could be corrected in their very early stages, better child health standards could be maintained. This in turn would be of economic value to the town.

DRAWING

(Report of Miss Evelyn Silvester, Supervisor of Drawing)

During the year of 1931 several interesting attempts have been made to broaden interest in and knowledge of the Fine and Applied Arts. Two of these attempted experiments have been with students of High School age, and a third is still in process in the elementary grades.

Educators have claimed for some time that not only does the slower child need attention of a special character, but that the brilliant, gifted child should be given work in keeping with his superior skill. This would, of course, be difficult if many gifted students appeared in a single class, but as such cases are rare, special work with a student of exceptional ability is a great incentive to the students of lesser ability.

Three years ago a High School senior of superior skill started a mural painting illustrating events in Weymouth history, which will probably be hung by the close of school next June. This mural, which is four feet high and twenty-eight feet long, consists of three panels, and each of the series shows in a very interesting way the gain in power and knowledge developed by successive years of study.

The work as it has progressed has been a real inspiration to the other students, and all have gained something: some, the desire to try such a project themselves; others, a genuine appreciation of the manner in which pictures have to be planned and executed, step by step, and how vital to the artist is a supplementary knowledge of history, costume, geography, industry and symbolism.

In the future, as students come toward their last years in High School, if marked artistic ability is discovered, it will be our hope that we may give individual problems to assist them in finding the special line of art which they will wish to follow in their art school courses.

As a senior class problem, we developed a marionette show, which was given for the students of the High School in June. The boys in the class built the stage, furnishings and other accessories, and the girls made the puppets. Much practice was needed by the girls in the manipulation of their individual puppets. Scenery was painted, lights arranged and music selected, with a final satisfactory "first night" production. The group that staged this play gained much general and applied knowledge of the arts.

The experiment in progress in the grades is confined to the first four grades at the Pratt School and to the same grades at the Bicknell School. It is an attempt to develop greater creative ability by allowing the children greater freedom of expression. It calls for very skillful teaching. It means helping the child to see his own errors and how to correct them, instead of simply saying a thing is wrong and then telling him how to correct the mistake. The latter is the easier way by far, but if handled correctly we believe the other method the better. We are hoping that our test of this method will justify the gradual incorporation of it in our elementary course.

The Opportunity Class has produced its usual excellent assortment of rugs, mats, bags, baskets and chair caning, from the sales of which a substantial sum has been turned over to the Town. The continued progress of the academic class has been a great satisfaction and certainly proves the value of the class.

MANUAL TRAINING

(Report of Miss Alice L. Tucker, Supervisor of Manual Training)

The work in manual training during the past year has been much the same as during the year previous. Quality not quantity has been the aim, and the effort has been to make the boy realize that he was putting something of himself into each article which he made, as well as to develop a sense of responsibility in each child.

We have always tried to choose useful models and for the past few months, because of the unemployment situation, have taught the various exercises through the making of smaller things, thus enabling more children to buy their own finished articles without undue strain on the home pocketbooks.

The interest has been good, and a number of children have made large pieces of furniture.

MUSIC

(Report of Mr. James W. Calderwood, Supervisor of Music)

During the current year the Supervisor of Music and his assistant have, as heretofore, shared between them the work in the grades. In May the joint eighth grades of the Junior High School took part in the first annual conclave of singing groups from the public schools in southeastern Massachusetts, held at Bridgewater.

At the High School the Supervisor has had charge of the band and orchestra, taught harmony, and given instruction on musical instruments to individual pupils; the Assistant Supervisor has had the care of singing periods, has given lessons in vocal culture, and also prepared the boys and girls in an operetta.

The band, averaging thirty pieces, has had two rehearsals a week. It has played at football and other games at the school.

The orchestra, twenty members, has served various town organizations. Recently two A clarinets have been acquired, thereby giving wider scope in the selection of music. This is noteworthy, as formerly the music chosen was necessarily limited to the use of the B flat clarinet.

The operetta "Sonia" was given by the High School pupils. Another, "The Gypsy Rover," is in preparation and will be given presently.

PENMANSHIP

(Report of Miss Katherine C. Fogarty, Supervisor of Penmanship)

As the year 1931 draws to a close we find the work in penmanship progressive.

The pupils for the most part continue enthusiastic about their work, and the majority of the eighth grade pupils have their diplomas before entering the High School.

Classes are visited every two weeks by the supervisor in charge for a period of twenty minutes, the first part of which is spent in a short review of movement drills and setting up exercises. Then follow the presentation and study of the new work in detail, and attention is called to difficult points. A few minutes are given for practice and comparison with the book for further improvement.

During the next two weeks there is daily practice with the assistance of the teachers, most of whom have mastered muscular movement so as to know how to overcome the difficulties of the pupils.

The writing papers are sent by the teachers to the office of the A. N. Palmer Company, and awards of pins or diplomas are given for satisfactory papers. These awards help to keep up the pupils' interest and in most instances afford them much satisfaction.

This means considerable work, not only on the part of the pupils but on the part of the teachers. We appreciate their co-operation and feel that it is through their untiring efforts that the work will reach the high standard to which we hope to bring it.

The children in the elementary grades now hold rewards as follows:

Palmer Method Buttons	1300
Merit Buttons	900
Progress Pins	550
Diplomas	240

SCHOOL GARDENS

(Report of Miss Sarah E. Brassill, Supervisor
of School Gardens and Clubs)

The reawakened interest in gardening and landscape work is having its effect on school gardening. The pupil's desire to garden is stronger when adults all about him have the same desire. Interest in the work comes, under such conditions, more from the pupil's wish to know than from our own desire that he should learn. He has in mind a use for what he gets. His interest in the home grounds is the best possible preparation for a later interest in a town or a country beautiful.

This interest in decorative gardening necessitates a slight change in the type of lesson given, but the change in the course of study is more apparent than real. The principles of gardening may be taught as well from a flower as from a vegetable. These are the essentials: to give some knowledge of fundamental facts; to foster the pupil's interest in living and growing things; and to equip him for self-education later. The need of good seed, good soil and good care may be stressed; the interrelation of weather, plant life and animal life may be shown, with all the help to be had from literature, geography, art and other subjects; attention may be called to authors, books and magazines, to examples of good work, and to organizations engaged in furthering such work.

In the gardening, as also in the club work done along other lines, much of the success is due to the foundation laid and to the day by day help given by teachers and supervisors in other departments. All such help is welcomed and appreciated.

We have tested our work by taking part in local and nearby fairs and exhibits. Our plans for renewed activity are already under way.

Our one serious difficulty is the lack of uniform illustrative material. We could use to advantage better laboratory facilities and equipment.

SCHOOL NURSE

(Report of Miss Anna A. MacDavitt, R.N., School Nurse)

Work in this field is varied. Many times results come slowly, but on looking back over the school year we note with some satisfaction that several things which go to benefit the health of our school children have been accomplished.

The Rotary Club continued its generous support in a series of tonsil and adenoid clinics at the Weymouth Hospital during the summer vacation. We extend our sincere thanks to the Rotary Club and to those physicians of Weymouth who gave so freely of their time and service in this work. Forty-four children submitted to tonsilectomies.

The Sale of Christmas Seals Fund provided milk for 97 under-weight children during the year.

In January twenty-six children who were retarded in their school work were examined by Dr. C. B. J. Schorer. Of this number, eleven were found who would benefit by being placed in the Opportunity Class.

In June we co-operated with the Visiting Nurse Association in conducting its second pre-school age clinic. This is worth while. Children are entering the first grade in better physical condition to commence their education.

In order to detect the presence of infection, 3,694 children were given, during December, the tuberculin test by the Chadwick Clinic under the direction of the State Department of Public Health. As a result of this test, 153 children were given a physical examination and advised as to further treatment.

The following statistics may be of interest:

General inspections	3762
Examinations in school	2415
Weighed and measured	350
Dressings in school	260
Assisted doctors with examinations	730
Home visits	396
Children taken home	79
Children sent to doctors	61

Excluded for:

Impetigo	83
Scabies	47
Pedculosis	51
Colds and sore throats	55
Mumps	11
Scarlet fever	1
Measles	4
Chicken pox	16

SEWING

(Report of Miss Marjorie E. Skinner, Supervisor of Sewing)

The main purpose of this course is to teach the girls to be accurate, careful and neat, and to give them an idea of the kinds of materials, workmanship and the care of clothing. In order to accomplish these things they make different kinds of garments carrying out these ideas.

As there are a great many girls who are not taught any sewing at home, in the seventh grade they are taught the fundamental stitches, in order that each girl may be able to do a certain amount of hand sewing. These stitches are then applied to a sewing bag.

As this is a machine age, the seventh grade pupils begin sewing machine work. We find that the girls are not accomplishing so much nor are they learning it so thoroughly as they should, because only one or two machines are available for classes of twenty or more. To apply this knowledge of the use of the sewing machine, they make one or two pieces of underwear for themselves.

The eighth grade pupils review the hand stitches, use of patterns and operation of the sewing machine by making either an apron or a smock. They also make underwear, skirts and dresses. A great many girls are much interested in making clothes for the young children in their families.

A few lessons are devoted to making Christmas gifts. The majority of the girls have made toys or dolls for their own families or some charitable organization. In South Weymouth the girls have dressed eighty-seven dolls and sent them to children's hospitals.

As a great part of the family sewing at the present time is repairing, all spare time is spent on patching and darning.

SCHOOL SAVINGS

School	Deposits	Withdrawals	Transfers Bank Books
Adams	\$ 124.29	\$ 8.32	\$ 108.00
Athens	313.55	35.17	289.40
Bicknell	1,158.97	88.86	992.94
James Humphrey	501.12	75.98	439.78
Jefferson	380.13	10.05	316.94
Junior Annex	129.96	8.51	145.93
Washington	321.71	42.52	305.64
Hunt	1,081.53	69.48	999.99
Center Portable	73.76	12.32	51.58
Pratt	238.90	31.67	202.84
Shaw	162.82	30.41	132.82
Edward B. Nevin	534.04	69.24	453.32
Pond	321.88	11.08	277.82
High	04.	32.45	38.63
	<hr/> \$5,342.70	<hr/> \$526.06	<hr/> \$4,755.63

CONCLUSION

In conclusion, I wish to thank the supervisors, principals, and teachers for their loyalty and support during the present year; to the School Committee I extend my thanks for the freedom of action which has been accorded me; and to the parents I wish to express my hearty appreciation for their confidence and support, and trust that during the new period of adjustment, which is bound to be trying for all concerned, the School Department may be run in such a manner as to still warrant a continuance of the present pleasant relationships.

Respectfully submitted,

PARKER T. PEARSON

Superintendent of Schools.

APPENDIX

ROLL OF HONOR

Names of Students not absent during the School Year, 1930-1931

* Neither Absent nor Tardy

HIGH SCHOOL

Albert J. Akerstrom	*Richard P. LaPointe
Georgia M. Alden	*Walter J. LaPointe
Filomena L. Amoroso	*Frances C. Larner
*Edith L. Austin	*Rita E. Leonard
*Mildred B. Averill	*Evelyn C. Libbey
John Baulis	*Priscilla B. Lincoln
Marshall P. Bearce	*Josephine M. Lindsay
*Edwin B. Bickford	*Melvin T. Little
*Alice F. Blanchard	*Alice M. Lovell
*Elizabeth E. Bonney	*Anna J. Lovering
Thomas A. Boyle	Jane R. MacDonnell
*Eleanor Brayshaw	Kenneth J. MacLeod
*Mary Anne Browne	*Eleanor R. Madigan
Felix Caracciolo	*Evelyn E. Magee
*Alfred D. Caton	*Marguerite Maguire
*John F. Chipman	*Walter A. Manuel
*Anna A. Cicchese	*Elsia M. Marshman
Agnes E. Colarusso	Richard E. Mathewson
Pasqualino P. Colarusso	*Francis J. McCormack
*Eleanor R. Colligan	*John O. McCrillis
*Emma M. Connell	*Charles E. McNeill
*Edward F. Connor	William B. Mills
*Edwina V. Conway	Anna E. Morton
*Josephine M. Craig	*Ruth J. Nolan
*Rodman Croto	*Helen Nye
*Frances C. Daley	*Margaret O'Leary
*Edna L. Dixon	*Virginia Oliva
William L. Dixon	*William A. Packer
*Virginia A. Donley	Virginia Paginton
Rita F. Donovan	Virginia A. Pratt
*William H. Donovan, Jr.	Merrick B. Price
*Natalie E. Doucette	*William C. Query
*Newell Elkington	*Florence M. Reidy
*Josephine M. Fasci	Richard Reidy
*Dorothy Flynn	*Margaret J. Rennie
Joseph P. Flynn	Catherine A. Richter
*James P. Foley	*Martin J. Rinaldi
*Eliodoro Frederici	Olavi R. Salmela
*Marie P. Galligan	*Bruce W. Saunders
Lillian B. Geever	Paul L. Schultz
Doris Goodwin	Edward H. Shaw
*Helen J. Gould	*Hazel E. Smith
*Marion S. Gould	*Irene M. Smith
*William L. Gray	Ralph B. Stewart
*Esther S. Hakala	Theodore M. Stewart
*John R. Hall	*Anna M. St. Peter

*Luen A. Hannaford
 *Marjorie A. Hayward
 *George E. Hochstrasser
 *Wesley P. Holbrook
 *Lestelle L. Holt
 *Charles A. Hunt
 *Norton A. Hunt
 *Agnes Inglis
 *Eino Jerpi
 *Florence E. Keller
 *Margaret L. Kelly
 Philip J. Kelly
 *Reino Laine
 *Donald B. Langhorst
 Doris E. Lantz

Dorothy D. Smart
 *Charles W. Taber
 *Avis Thompson
 Arthur Thorp
 *William F. Thurberg
 *Florida T. Trudell
 *Esther J. Tuthill
 *Isabel Tutty
 *Carleton E. Welch
 *Roy A. Wheaton
 *Albert H. Wheeler
 Elliot T. Wilson
 *Vincent H. Wormald
 Delphine Wrye

JUNIOR ANNEX

Earl Ainslie
 Frances Bicknell
 *Margaret A. Budd
 Eleanor T. Cicchese
 *Albert Cobb
 Edward Connolly
 *Robert Cote
 *Henry Cottell
 *Elsie M. Elmgren
 *Anna Gardner
 *Marie Gardner
 *John Ghublikian
 *Ruth Gould
 *Emma L. Hyland
 *Margaret Kendrick
 *Rita Lawrence
 Helen Lester
 *Helen M. Lynch
 *Leo McMorrow

Jerry E. Nocera
 *Richard W. Paone
 Edna Parsons
 *Lucy C. Petze
 *Dominick Pileggi
 *Frances Quinn
 *Helen Quirk
 *Annie Rivelle
 George Shanahan
 Robert A. Shaw
 *Theresa Stagliola
 Bernard Thibodeau
 *Mary Vanesse
 *Agatha Veerling
 *Mary Villanova
 Ward Walker
 George Ward
 Doten Warner
 Arline Whitmarsh

ADAMS SCHOOL

Arnold G. Brown

ATHENS SCHOOL

Warren Duffy
 *Veronica Dulka
 *Gerard Durant
 *Joseph Durant
 *Anna Gikis

*Eliot Gray
 *Amy Huntington
 *Nellie Karpinkas
 *Margaret Lesenechal
 *Thayne Moffit

BICKNELL SCHOOL

*Edward Birchmore
 James R. Buckley
 *Francis Callahan
 Dorothy Calnan
 *Albert C. Colarusso
 *Pearl Colarusso
 *Arthur Collier

*Mary G. MacDonald
 *Marjorie E. Madden
 Robert T. McCarroll
 *Ruth M. McCarthy
 *Priscilla C. McIntire
 *Gladys E. McMann
 *Shirley E. Nicholls

James W. Collier
 *Russell Collier
 Jennette E. Cronin
 *Myrtle A. Hardie
 *Marjorie W. Horn
 *Donnie Huntington
 *Charles A. Johnson
 *Eleanor Johnson

*Edith V. Rounds
 *Ruth C. Santry
 *Catherine G. Smith
 *Daniel Sprague
 *Grace Stevens
 *James O. Stevens
 *Esther A. Thayer

JAMES HUMPHREY SCHOOL

*William J. Baulis
 *Arquino Cignarella
 *Joseph Cirigliano
 *Rita Corbo
 *Mary J. DeLucca
 *Dominick Dentino
 *John Dentino
 *Samuel Dentino
 *Guido DiGravio
 *Helen Doherty
 *Michael Eacobacci
 *Louise A. Gardner
 *Arthrena Ghublikian

*Florence M. Hawes
 Esther Johnson
 *William T. Kearns
 *Mary Keblis
 *Richard M. King
 *Alice McMorrow
 *Bettina Petze
 H. Leo Petze
 *Lucy Rivelle
 *Helen L. Shores
 *John Stella
 *Marguerite Villanova

JEFFERSON SCHOOL

*Helen Cipullo
 *John Consentino
 *Elizabeth Dizer
 Mario Gatto
 *Garland Hay

*Kathleen Newton
 *Margaret Spillane
 *Paul Stella
 Rosalie Tucci
 *Robert Zeoli

WASHINGTON SCHOOL

*Alice J. Griffin
 *Lorraine F. Beal

*William Scarpelli
 *Daniel Slattery

HUNT SCHOOL

*Phyllis E. Anderson
 *Marjorie F. Bentley
 *Mary E. Berry
 *Robert Burns, Jr.
 *Leon H. Cameron
 *Irving Chase
 Lillian C. Cherry
 *James S. Clawson
 Robert Crawford, Jr.
 *Louise V. Doane
 John E. Donovan
 John F. Dwyer
 *Raymond N. Geever
 *Evelyn Gorman
 John B. Hart
 *Judith I. Henderson
 *David Inglis
 *Lois Keefe
 *Mary G. Keohan

*Warren S. Loud
 *Robert H. MacFee
 *Francis L. McCarthy
 *Theodore C. McKenna
 *Walter F. McKenna
 *Theodore O. Mills
 *Thomas O'Hara
 Katherine E. Pratt
 Roger M. Pray
 *Arlene M. Price
 *Margaret Scott
 *Norman W. Scott
 *Ellen M. Sheedy
 *Rita H. Sheridan
 *Rita Slattery
 *Catherine Smith
 *Herbert Starr
 *Helen G. Sullivan
 *Francis J. Sullivan

*Marie H. Kincade
 *Rose Leonard
 Beatrice M. Libby
 *Howard W. Libby

Edna L. Tirrell
 *Burton L. Tisdale
 *Dorothy Vanasse
 *Rita M. Litchfield

CENTER PORTABLE

Willis R. Marshman

*James X. Vanasse
 *Ruth F. Vickery

PRATT SCHOOL

*Frank N. Bosche
 *Richard Bosche
 *Natalie Davis
 *Muriel E. Doble
 *Eva Doyle
 *Martha J. Hakala
 *Dorothy A. Holbrook
 *Lois H. Holbrook
 *Olive Holbrook
 *Ellen I. Jerpi

*Eleanor Maynard
 *Herbert E. Newcomb
 *June A. Newcomb
 *Marjorie Newcomb
 *Phyllis Newcomb
 Daniel S. Pratt, Jr.
 *Hilda Ross
 *Arline Rowe
 *Adeline Rubolino
 Theodore Simenson

SHAW SCHOOL

*Dorothy M. Bates
 *Parker W. Bates
 *Florence H. Condrick
 Pauline Corey
 Edmund Laniewski

*Mary Lelyveld
 *Barbara Merrick
 *Burton Poole
 *Hazel Warren

EDWARD B. NEVIN SCHOOL

*Edwin M. Banks
 *Alton S. Blanchard
 *Fostine A. Blanchard
 *Christine M. Carpenter
 *Bertha T. Connor
 *William W. Culver
 *Sadie E. Dean
 *Vinal A. Dean
 James W. Dixon
 *Barbara N. Donley
 Leroy J. Holman
 *Jean T. Lindsay
 *Phyllis Litchfield

*Ruth Logan
 *Agnes McGrath
 *Evelyn McPhee
 *Marie Murphy
 *Ruth N. Nickerson
 Constance O'Neil
 Warren Reed
 *Bernard A. Reilly
 Walter J. Reilly
 *Jack W. Smith
 *Charles S. Soper
 *Catherine M. Tompkins
 *Richard Wilbur

POND SCHOOL

*Annie Lindsay
 *Walter P. Murray
 Erwin W. Rexford

*John Rexford
 *Mary Twomey

LIST OF PUPILS WHO RECEIVED A GRAMMAR
SCHOOL DIPLOMA

BICKNELL SCHOOL

Anthony Adiconis	Lloyd Cecil Manuel
Arthur Boudreau	Kathleen Jeannette Mathewson
Charles Robert Bowen	Earl Boardman Maxwell
Robert Harold Buchan, Jr.	Ruth Margaret McCarthy
Dorothy Ellen Cain	Bertha McDonald
Max William Carmichael	Joseph McKinnon, Jr.
Margaret Pauline Clare	Gladys Elizabeth McMann
C. Albert Colarusso	Mildred Marshall Miner
Doris M. Cordiner	Dorothy Priscilla Murray
Alice Leonard Crowley	Ruth Violet Nesbitt
Marguerite Catherine Donovan	Mary Esther O'Brien
William Anthony Donovan	Frances O'Leary
Grace Elizabeth Dyer	Frank Thomas Pagington
Lawrence Aloysius Garvey	Phyllis Mae Parnaby
Bennie Gekis	Eleanor Helen Peterson
John Gekus	Henry Martin Peterson
Elizabeth Adella Groht	Alan Potts
Elizabeth Marion Hall	William Edward Pray
Ethel May Hanian	Edna Mae Riley
Joseph Francis Hansen	Thomas Francis Riley
Frances Harding	Blanche W. Rodman
Frances Hart	Alfred Henry Roughtean
Richard Earle Hart	Robert Sulis Roulston
James Palmer Hawes	Edith Virginia Rounds
William Bernard Hopf, Jr.	Stanley Carl Sabonis
Edward Lewis Howe	Charlotte Marie Schleiff
Donnie Elaine Huntington	William Ryng Sheppard
Russell Ormsby Huntington	Dorothy Mildred Sherman
Marjorie Ireland	Inez Marie Sherry
Ethel Christine Jacobson	Marion Josephine Smith
Petricia Eberheard Jorgensen	Herbert Ignatius Sullivan, Jr.
Teresa Anna Keenan	Thelma Gertrude Trask
Margaret Louise Kelley	Albert Stanley Walsh
Evelyn Anna Kjellman	Norman Everett Walsh
Joseph Jules Lesenechal, Jr.	Elizabeth Marie White
John F. F. MacDonnell	Harry L. White, Jr.
	Donald Kenneth E. Wrye

JUNIOR ANNEX

Arnold Clinton Ainslie	Helen Marie Lynch
Ruth Gladys Amundsen	Helen Ruth McCann
Charles Lukis Argrew	Ruth Frances McIntire
Elizabeth Belcastro	Leo Francis McMorro
Herbert Blackwell	Walter Lincoln Minns
Elito Bongarzone	Margaret Mary Moran
Stanley Edwin Brown	Fannie Louisa Mosher
Lena Esther Caccaro	William Carol Mousley
Rosalie Marie Caccaro	Elva Atwood Newton
Margaret Hope Cain	Vieno Irene Nissila
Eleanor Theresa Cicchese	Leopold Jerry Nocera

Madelyn Cirigliano
 Margaret Elizabeth Coleman
 James Reynolds Connolly
 Henry Charles Cottell, Jr.
 Ellen Catherine Counihan
 Elsie Doris Crawford
 Joseph DeLucia
 Alice Marguerite Dixon
 Christine Allen Dizer
 John Harold Doble
 Jacqueline Maude Dowling
 Barbara Harriet Dresser
 Eleanor Mary Dresser
 Dorothy Ann Duncan
 Caroline Lucy Eacobacci
 Harry Maynard Elms
 Vernon John Fahey
 Bradford Howard Ferris
 Donald Austin Foskett
 John Edward Fraher
 James Salvatore Fucci
 Barbara Anna Gardner
 Emly Marie Gardner
 Kenneth Sherman Gardner
 John Richard Ghublikian
 Marie Alice Gilbody
 Doris Julia Goldsworthy
 Frances Monroe Gould
 Mary Inez Gould
 Rita Eleanor Gould
 George Harrington
 Louise Josephine Hill
 William Hallett Hodges
 Esther Alburtina Hollis
 Louella Alice Hunt
 Roy Francis Johnson
 Helen Elizabeth Keefe
 Frederick Howard Kelly
 Virginia Hargrave Kemp
 Agnes Knox
 Stefani Edith Konrad
 Eleanor Louise Lane
 Rita Patricia Lawrence
 Alice Mary Lewis
 Elvira Luciano

Ellen Linnia Olander
 Carl Herbert Overn
 Antoinette Pamarico
 Richard Walter Paone
 Edna Irene Parsons
 John Perrone
 Helen Madeline Peterson
 Albert Petzi
 Lucy Caroline Petzi
 Anthony A. Pizzi
 Joseph Anthony Pomarico
 Alberta Georgia Pratt
 Glennys Kathryn Preston
 Edward Quinn
 Helen Frances Quirk
 Barbara Raymond
 Harry Rhodes
 Annie Elizabeth Rivelle
 Mary Ann Rivelle
 Caroline Russo
 Annie Edith Scoppetuolo
 Terry Lorraine Senigo
 Robert Addison Shaw
 Helen Rita Shields
 Mary Amelia Smith
 Eleanor Spada
 Theresa Mary Stagliola
 Edith Mary Stewart
 Bernard Henry Thibodeau
 Elizabeth Carter Tirrell
 Phyllis Estelle Tirrell
 Cecile Edna Tuttle
 Arthur Joseph Vanasse
 Mary Josephine Villanova
 Ann Theresa Waldron
 George Henry Ward
 Virginia Inez Wardlaw
 Doten King Warner
 John Joseph White
 Myrtle Rosalie White
 Robert Francis Whitmarsh
 Madelyn Marie Wilson
 Theresa Florence Wise
 Thelma Gertrude Worden
 Marion Eleanora Zeolie

HUNT SCHOOL

Phyllis Elizabeth Anderson
 Vincent Charles Anderson
 Kenneth Hugh Arnold
 Elizabeth Mildred Aydelott
 George Herbert Baker
 Alton Franklin Barnes
 Thornton Gardner Barnes
 Vincent Robert Bates

Dora Evelyn Gorham
 William Herbert Griffin
 Charles Livingston Haines, Jr.
 Judith Ingeboy Henderson
 Edward Stanislaus Houghton
 John Stewart Inglis
 Dorothy Rita Johnstone
 Muriel Ruth Kendrick

Marjorie Frances Bentley
 Lillian Bertha Bergeron
 Walter Winthrop Berry, Jr.
 C. F. Rudolph Bowie
 Anna Margaret Burns
 Irving Newton Chase
 Murial Blanche Corbett
 Ruth Mary Costello
 Dorothy Marion Cote
 Irene Marie Cowett
 Emery Elmore Custance
 Shirley Elizabeth Deneau
 Marjorie Louise Dibble
 John Edwin Donovan
 Gertrude Marie Doyle
 Martha Lois Doyle
 Eugene Paul Duncan
 Joseph Henry Gaffney
 Lewis Edric Garney
 Mathias Walter Geever

Marie Gertrude Keohan
 Rose Mary Leonard
 Charles Robert Martin
 James Joyce Millican
 Lillian Josephine Parnell
 Eleanor Francis Pike
 Lillian Louise Pinkham
 Virginia Marshall Pray
 Arline Marjorie Price
 Ruth Margaret Remick
 Ellen Marie Sheedy
 Mary Pitken Smith
 Harriet Theresa Staples
 Lillian Vernon Stowell
 Francis Joseph Sullivan
 Earl Kitchener Thomas
 Durward Richard Trudell
 Geraldine Gertrude T. Vickery
 Anna Madeline Wright

PRATT SCHOOL

Edith Madeline Arnold
 Weston Johnston Babino
 Charlotte Mary Bean
 Marjorie Sylvania Crawford
 Marjorie Louise Currie
 Ruth Mabel Davison
 John Archie Ellis
 Vilma Elizabeth Hakala
 David George Hall
 Harold Albert Jerpi
 Dorothy Maud Lockhart

Carmella Mary Messina
 Virginia Ines Monks
 Lloyd James Morrell
 Marjorie Noel
 Bernice Marian Payne
 Daniel Sharp Pratt
 Robert Edward Priggen
 Evelyn Mary Sayce
 Marion Jane Sheehan
 Ellen Aurora Sjoberg
 James Tighe

SHAW SCHOOL

Dorothy Louise Baker
 Margery Vera Callahan
 Richard Albert Coe
 Joseph Corey
 Mary Corey
 Sadie Corey
 Marjorie Alberta Fulton
 Norma Ernestine Keller

Edmund George Laniewski
 Daniel Thomas Lynch
 Evelyn May Nadell
 Burton Thomas Poole
 Lois Adele Seaberg
 Ruth Viola Shaw
 Arthur Richard Van Cor
 Walter Edmund Van Cor

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Evelyn May Bates
 Fostine Ada Blanchard
 Meredith Gove Bragg
 Robert Lawrence Brennen
 Hazel A. Burns
 Christine M. Carpenter
 Sadie E. Dean

Ruth Ann Logan
 Elizabeth M. Morissey
 Kendall Newbert
 Ruth Nickerson
 Joseph Brinsley O'Kane
 Madeline Poole
 Edgar B. Rabideau

Frederic W. D. de Courcy
Catherine Louise Desmond
Louis A. Dillon
Everett V. Driscoll
John M. Enella
Gilman N. Fernald
Edward R. Grieves
Albert Holbrook
Charles William Hollis
George Russell Johnson

Lois Young Slocum
Rhoda Louise Spurr
Henry S. Stowers, Jr.
James F. Sullivan
Roy A. Tenny
Lucille Doris Trenear
Roger Conant Walsh
Charles S. Welch
Roger J. Whitelaw

GRADUATION EXERCISES

1931

WEYMOUTH HIGH SCHOOL

Class Motto: "Not Evening, But Dawn"

Class Colors: Green and Silver

High School Building, Weymouth Center

Thursday Afternoon, June 18, 1931 at 2.15 o'clock

CLASS OFFICERS

President, John Moulton

Vice President, John Veerling

Secretary, Alice Lebbossiere

Treasurer, Marjorie Caswell

CLASS MARSHAL

Martin Mahoney

DANCE COMMITTEE

Mary AuCoin, Chairman

Marjorie Burne
Beatrice McBride
Alfred Cignarella
Barbara Bedford

Joseph Thomas
Joseph Washburn
Eleanor Oliva
John Donovan

MOTTO COMMITTEE

Myrtle Pray, Chairman

Frank Infusino

Sadie Lambe

John McCrillis

BANQUET COMMITTEE

Elsie Peterson, Chairman

Frederick Andrews
Eleanor Blackwell
Earle Lane
Doris Aikens

Virginia Oliva
Marion Philbrook
Roy Anderson
Allen Kjellman

PROGRAM

Processional

Invocation Rev. Nathan W. Wood

Star-Spangled Banner

Selection	“Nina Rosa”	Romberg
	High School Orchestra	

Chorus “Morning” Speaks-Baldwin

Senior Class

Salutatory Address "Russia—A Survey"
Marie Conroy

Violin Solo “Hungarian Dance” Haesche
Eleanor Hill

Vocal Solo "Sing, Sing, Bird on the Wing" Nutting
Eleanor Cox

Trumpet Solo “Flocktonian Polka” Casey
Joseph Washburn

Valedictory Address “World Patriotism”
John Veerling

Awards: a. Washington and Franklin Medal
b. Medal for Meritorious Progress given by the Class of 1921
Announced by John Moulton

Presentation of Diplomas
By Mr. Francis W. Rea

Class Ode

Benediction Rev. Charles A. O'Brien

CLASS BANQUET

Thursday afternoon at Five-thirty o'clock

CLASS HISTORY

Norman Foskett, Chairman

Ola Jean Taylor Kenneth VanMeter

CLASS PROPHECY

Wilbert Cushing, Chairman	Marie Norwood
Sadie Lambe	John Hoglund

WEYMOUTH HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

Andrew Herbert Abbott	Ernestine Lucretia Houston
Doris Anna Aikens	Olga Marie Hudon
Marguerite B. Alexanderson	Katherine Virginia Hynes
Beth Pratt Alger	Charles Beverly Jardine
Filomena Louise Amoroso	Ruth Lydia Jones
John Harold Anderson	Ellen Dagmar Karstunen
Roy Herbert Anderson	Lawrence Willard Keenan
Frederick Newcomb Andrews	Catherine Elizabeth Kelly
Mary Louise AuCoin	Malcolm Dinsmoor Kemp
Constance Alma Avenell	Mary Elizabeth Kendrick
Frances Sayles Ball	Robert Crosby Kibby*
Helen Mary Bates	Kenneth Basil Kennedy
Dorothy Wardwell Bearce	Allan George Kjellman
Maude Pierce Beaton	Sadie Agnes Lambe
Barbara Emmeline Bedford	Marie Jeanne Vivian Lawrence
Ruth Hazel Blanchard	Catherine Francis Leahy
Eleanor Gertrude Blackwell	Alice Vincentia Lebossiere
Bernice Marie Boudreau	Walter Gerard Lewis
Mary Usula Brady	Catherine Mary Linnehan
Frank Leonard Bryant	Bernice Adeline Lippincott
Marjorie Delano Burne	Elizabeth MacFaun
Charles Thomas Butler	Archie Kirkwood MacKean
Nettie Perry Butnam	Martin Bryan Mahoney
Josephine Margaret Caruso	Frances Grover Manuel
Marjorie Caswell	Beatrice Stella McBride
Alfred Dent Caton	John Orvis McCrillis
Anna Antonette Cicchese	Marjorie Aneita McCrillis
Lillian Mae Clapp	Katherine Patricia McMorrow
Angelo George Colarusso	Mary Alida Millette
Eleanor Rosemary Colligan	Florence Evelyn Miller
Mary Elizabeth Collins	Ralph Homer Minns
Marie Esther Conroy	Violet Aloysius Mitchell
Winifred Evelyn Cooke	Hazel Mae Morrison
Ruth Mae Cormack	John Jesse Moulton
Agnes Bernadette Courtney	Constance Elizabeth Nash
Eleanor Mae Cox	Ruth Jane Nolan
Richard Joseph Cronin	Marie Louise Norwood
Wilbert Chandler Cushing	Eleanor Mary Oliva
Theodore George Dahlquist	Virginia Agnes Oliva
John Joseph Daley	Dorothy Pearson
Sarah Winifred Deacon	Elsie May Peterson
Catherine Theresa DeLuca	Karl Edward Peterson
Dorothy Bernice Dolan	Jerry Francis Petruccelli
Ruth Elizabeth Duff	Marion Ellsworth Philbrook
Stephanie Jeanette Dulka	Helen Bernerdine Pratt

Eleanor Thornton Dwyer
 Mildred Ellis
 Emma Priscilla Ells
 Olive Alice Fisher
 Roberta Elizabeth Fletcher
 Agnes May Flockhart
 Mary Elizabeth Flynn
 James Patrick Foley
 Norman Lawrence Foskett
 Barbara Louise French
 John Andrew Gaab
 Alfred William Gardner
 Thomas John Garvey
 Amelia Emily Gikis
 Doris Goodwin
 Viola Emily Goldsworthy
 Myrtle Lucille Gould
 Boyd Webber Gridley
 Richard Vernon Gridley
 George Edward Guindon
 Jean Isabel Hall
 Luen Allegra Hannaford
 John Francis Higgins
 Cecelia Theresa Higgins
 Eleanor Frances Hill
 Virginia Hodges
 Elizabeth Hollis

Myrtle Elizabeth Pray
 Mary Dorothy Reilly
 Mary Patricia Stone
 Josephine Frances Sturtevant
 Norman Walter Ryerson
 Ruth Ellie Saunders
 Alec Douglas Shaw
 Hazel Evangeline Smith
 Fred Snow
 Burgess Harris Spinney
 Mary Patricia Stone
 Josephine Frances Sturtevant
 Marietta Tallman
 Ola Jean Taylor
 Lendall Kilborn Teague
 Helen Catherine Thurston
 Edith May Tirrell
 Winnifred Meta Tompkins
 Edna Claire Travis
 Hazel Roberta Trenear
 Isabel Tutty
 Mary Elizabeth Upton
 John Peter Veerling
 Vera Dorothy Virta
 Herman Ensign Warner
 Joseph Kelley Washburn
 May Teresa Wood
 Margaret Ruby Young

*Class of 1930

WEYMOUTH VOCATIONAL SCHOOL GRADUATES

Herbert Elliott Bailey
 Leonard Horace Barker
 Charles Freeman Bennett, Jr.
 Calvin Albert Bowie
 Gelorm Jerry Cavallo
 Alfred Cignarella
 George Arthur Clark
 William VanBuskirk Cole
 Frederick Croto
 William Cowing
 James Carlton Danubio
 Charles Henry Delory
 John Roger Delorey
 John Joseph Donovan
 Donald Charles Ferguson
 Charles Aimee Forcier
 Richard John Frederickson
 William Edwin Gormley, Jr.
 Philip Winn Henley

Prescott Ernest Hobson
 John Anselm Hoglund
 Frank Infusino
 Eric Jacobson
 Eino I. Jerpi
 Earle Leavett Lane
 Joseph LaRocco
 Dana Ellsworth LeMay
 Leo Neva
 Edward Gerard O'Connor
 Henry Wilton Phillips
 Gaeton George Pica
 Francis Edward Sheppard
 Herbert Wallace Sylvester
 Joseph James Thomas
 William Henry VanMeter
 Frank Edward Wing
 Henry Vincent Wormald

SPECIAL CERTIFICATE STUDENTS

Ruth Evelyn Leavitt

Francis Xavier Reilly

NORFOLK COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL

Weymouth Branch

GRADUATES

Frederick Newcomb Andrews

Ralph Homer Minns

HONOR LIST

John Harold Anderson

Sadie Agnes Lambe

Frank Leonard Bryant

Frances Grover Manuel

Josephine Margaret Caruso

John Jesse Moulton

Marjorie Caswell

Virginia Agnes Oliva

Marie Esther Conroy

Dorothy Pearson

Wilbert Chandler Cushing

Ola Jean Taylor

Norman Lawrence Foskett

John Peter Veerling

ODE TO THE CLASS OF 1931

Jean Isabel Hall

Not evening, but dawn, brings the first ray of light;
 'Tis a signal to arms for the on-coming fight.
 With the Master as guide, there's no need for distress;
 Valor, love, faith, and hope lead the way to success.
 The world, to our eyes, a great battlefield,
 Must be conquered by us who know not how to yield.
 Through our aim may be set midst the stars of the sky,
 Not evening, but dawn, will lead us on high.

Not by evening, but dawn, we start out on our way,
 The adventuresome maidens and knights of the day.
 Though 'twas just but a start, through the years of our climb,
 The knowledge we've gained will not lessen by time.
 As now on the threshold of life we stand,
 O Lord, may we feel the strength of thy hand!
 With the pride of a victor we hold our heads high
 As not evening, but dawn, slowly enters the sky.

STATISTICS FROM REGISTERS FOR SCHOOL YEAR 1930-1931

Wards and Schools	Grade	Boys	Girls	Number Enrolled	Aggregate Attendance	Average Attendance	Total Membership	Average Membership	Per cent Attendance	Total Days	Number of Days Absence	Number of Cases Tardiness	Number of Cases Dismissal	Number of Cases Truancy	Number of Visitors
WARD I															
Adams	III-IV I-II	27 28	22 22	49 50	7495.5 6035.5	41.87 33.63	56 54	45.15 36.53	92.74 92.06	179. 179.	654. 532.	29 43	2 8	0 0	39 79
Total		55	44	99	13531.0	75.50	110	81.68	92.43		1186.	72	10	0	118
Athens															
	VI	15	17	32	5363.5	29.55	34	30.79	95.97	181.	210.5	14	5	0	0
	V	12	23	35	5837.5	32.28	36	34.72	92.97	181.	445.	21	9	0	1
	IV	19	15	34	5355.	29.81	35	32.03	93.07	179.	402.5	30	7	0	6
	III	13	23	36	5805.5	32.44	37	34.86	93.06	179.	433.	22	10	0	9
	II	17	18	35	5619.	31.45	36	33.93	92.69	179.	452.	40	5	0	6
	I	28	15	43	6454.	36.08	43	40.15	89.86	179.	732.5	16	6	3	16
Total		104	111	215	34434.5	191.61	221	206.48	92.80		2675.5	143	42	3	38
Bicknell															
	VIII	15	23	38	6669.5	36.79	40	38.99	94.36	181.	399.	11	14	0	2
	VIII	20	15	35	6121.5	33.84	36	35.50	95.32	181.	303.5	3	8	0	1
	VII	18	11	29	5108.5	28.22	30	29.41	95.95	181.	217.5	6	9	0	2
	VII	20	15	35	5707.	31.56	36	33.7	93.65	181.	388.	21	2	0	4
	VI	14	16	30	4953.	27.35	33	28.33	96.54	181.	176.	4	1	0	5

VI	15	15	30	5284.5	29.16	32	30.64	95.17	181.	267.	0	0	0	11
V	16	21	37	5993.5	33.11	39	34.85	95.00	181.	325.5	7	20	0	9
V	14	17	31	5128.5	28.33	32	30.02	94.36	181.	303.	13	6	0	2
IV	12	16	28	4551.	25.4	32	26.68	95.21	179.	230.5	24	1	0	10
IV	16	9	25	3739.	20.9	27	22.46	93.05	179.	277.5	18	4	0	1
III	22	13	35	5725.	31.95	35	34.45	92.75	179.	448.	6	0	0	7
III	14	12	26	4411.5	24.67	30	25.99	94.92	179.	239.	36	1	0	14
II	15	9	24	3654.5	20.41	27	21.74	93.86	179.	235.5	16	3	0	6
II	13	10	23	3597.	20.07	24	21.52	93.26	179.	262.5	18	0	0	3
I	19	18	37	6003.5	33.55	46	37.05	90.55	179.	646.5	20	6	0	20
I	10	16	26	5266.	29.35	39	31.62	92.82	179.	408.5	25	4	0	19
Total	253	236	489	81913.5	454.66	538	482.95	94.14		5127.5	228	79	0	116
Total	412	391	803	129879.0	721.77	869	771.11	93.60		8989.0	443	131	3	272

WARD II

Humphrey	VI	17	22	39	6781.5	37.49	40	38.71	96.85	181.	11	16	0	69
VI	20	16	36	5949.	32.90	36	33.62	97.86	181.	136.	18	10	0	39
V	12	21	33	5530.	30.49	35	32.55	93.67	181.	363.	32	9	0	57
V	13	24	37	5932.5	32.79	38	34.58	94.82	181.	328.	7	5	0	55
IV	15	21	36	5723.5	31.93	41	34.01	93.88	179.	365.	43	7	0	45
III	22	9	31	5005.	27.94	32	29.77	93.85	179.	327.5	64	10	0	37
II	16	11	27	4440.5	24.81	32	26.89	92.26	179.	366.	22	11	0	37
I	24	18	42	6748.	37.74	45	41.39	91.18	179.	671.	20	6	0	43
Total	139	142	281	46110.0	256.09	299	271.52	94.32		2777.0	217	74	0	382
Jefferson	IV	20	18	38	6495.5	36.29	40	37.10	97.82	179.	3	18	0	265
III	13	14	27	4652.	25.99	29	27.35	95.03	179.	240.5	17	12	0	232
II	22	13	35	6021.	33.66	38	36.38	92.52	179.	489.5	0	8	0	233
I	15	15	30	4452.	24.87	34	27.09	91.81	179.	404.5	14	7	0	239
Total	70	60	130	21620.5	120.81	141	127.92	94.44		1284.5	34	45	0	969

Junior Annex	VIII	8	15	23	3980.	21.76	23	22.24	97.84	183.	89.	23	5	0	30
	VIII	10	19	29	4851.	26.53	30	27.44	96.68	183.	176.	37	11	2	15
	VIII	14	22	36	6138.	33.58	38	34.58	97.11	183.	187.	45	20	1	54
	VIII	11	18	29	5050.	27.58	30	28.54	96.64	183.	175.	16	10	1	20
	VII	9	15	24	4259.	23.28	26	24.27	95.92	183.	183.	45	14	0	27
	VII	13	13	26	4531.	24.78	28	25.85	95.86	183.	197.	41	14	3	18
	VII	9	15	24	4102.	22.43	26	23.37	95.98	183.	175.	38	7	1	19
	VII	11	10	21	3517.	19.18	25	19.95	96.14	183.	141.	49	15	0	19
Opportunity		14	14	28	4243.	23.45	36	25.31	92.65	183.	340.	64	22	3	219
Total		99	141	240	40671.	222.57	262	231.55	96.12		1663.	358	118	11	421
Washington	VI	19	12	31	5182.5	28.68	31	30.03	95.50	181.	252.5	17	42	0	4
	V	21	11	32	5313.	29.37	38	31.05	94.59	181.	292.	16	5	0	109
	IV	16	19	35	5461.	30.41	37	32.78	92.77	179.	417.	19	7	0	5
	III	17	24	41	6279.	35.13	42	38.92	90.26	179.	547.5	13	0	0	98
	II	21	19	40	5627.	31.46	41	36.09	87.17	179.	837.	21	6	0	109
	I	17	23	40	5448.	30.33	43	35.16	86.26	179.	853.5	29	4	0	122
Total		111	108	219	33310.5	185.38	232	204.03	90.86		3199.5	115	64	0	447
Total		419	451	870	141712.0	784.85	934	835.02	93.99		8924.0	724	301	11	2219
WARD III															
Hunt	VIII	13	15	28	5206.5	28.75	30	29.53	97.36	181.	147.	11	3	0	0
	VIII	13	15	28	4760.5	26.28	30	28.08	93.59	181.	326.5	46	13	2	0
	VII	18	10	28	4882.5	26.98	31	28.42	94.93	181.	255.5	9	20	1	10
	VII	18	16	34	5830.5	32.22	36	34.02	94.71	181.	327.	20	16	1	8
	VI	12	15	27	4783.5	26.42	29	27.68	95.45	181.	228.	17	2	0	16
	VI	13	17	30	4818.5	26.61	30	28.2	94.36	181.	291.5	0	6	0	6
	VI	16	14	30	5200.5	28.70	33	30.51	94.07	181.	326.5	29	11	0	6
	V	21	19	40	7038.5	38.48	43	41.66	93.23	181.	508.5	23	12	2	20
	V	23	21	44	6906.5	38.22	45	40.27	94.91	181.	376.	18	19	0	19
	IV	25	14	39	6149.5	34.36	43	36.72	93.57	179.	421.	46	8	0	15
	IV	16	21	37	6289.	35.07	42	37.77	92.85	179.	475.	28	4	2	10

III	12	24	36	6165.	34.46	39	36.72	93.85	179.	400.	10	4	0	62
III	15	14	29	5587.5	31.22	39	34.63	90.15	179.	605.	37	6	0	7
II	17	11	28	4320.	24.05	29	26.55	90.58	179.	441.5	6	4	0	11
II	13	15	28	4491.	25.04	30	26.97	92.84	179.	362.5	8	2	0	13
II	18	9	27	4147.	23.19	31	25.67	90.34	179.	445.	25	3	0	13
I	21	19	40	6569.5	36.55	46	41.57	87.92	179.	893.	25	1	0	23
I	17	24	41	6439.	35.88	48	40.93	87.66	179.	899.5	55	7	0	22
Total	301	293	594	99585.0	552.84	654	595.90	92.77		7729.0	413	141	8	261

WARD IV

Pratt	VIII	12	15	27	4242.5	23.43	27	25.27	92.72	181.	73	11	2	1
	VII	6	23	29	5014.	27.70	30	28.85	96.01	181.	21	4	0	47
	VI	14	19	33	5397.	29.82	34	31.00	96.20	181.	30	9	2	14
	V	9	21	30	4939.5	27.29	33	28.40	96.09	181.	28	5	4	40
	IV	16	14	30	4950.5	27.72	30	29.51	93.93	178.5	49	3	1	22
	III	16	22	38	6088.	34.12	39	36.94	92.37	178.5	61	15	2	18
	II	20	17	37	5806.	32.50	38	35.91	90.50	178.5	80	14	2	26
	I	19	15	34	5319.	29.75	38	32.98	90.21	178.5	45	5	0	42
Total		112	146	258	41756.5	232.33	269	248.86	93.35		387	66	13	210

Shaw	VII-VIII	15	28	43	6883.5	38.18	47	40.15	95.10	181.	61	20	0	1
	V-VI	18	19	37	6241.	34.46	44	37.84	91.07	181.	57	0	0	9
	III-IV	21	18	39	6466.	36.12	45	39.82	90.73	179.	48	24	0	7
	I-II	22	22	44	6461.5	30.01	54	41.30	72.66	179.	74	17	0	11
Total		76	87	163	26052.0	138.77	190	159.11	87.22		240	61	0	28

Center Port.	III-IV	20	19	39	5886.5	32.60	43	34.66	94.06	179.	40	11	0	29
	I-II	25	13	38	5002.	27.9	42	30.69	90.91	179.	71	21	0	59

Total		45	32	77	10888.5	60.50	85	65.35	92.58		111	32	0	88
Total		233	265	498	78697.0	431.60	544	473.32	91.19		738	159	13	326

WARD V

Edw. B. Nevin	VIII	20	15	35	5880.5	32.53	36	33.75	96.38	181.	226.	25	12	0	77
	VII	15	18	33	5875.	32.50	36	33.94	95.75	181.	267.5	29	25	0	70
	VII	16	19	35	5752.5	31.72	38	32.85	96.56	181.	207.5	17	19	0	73
	VI	12	23	35	5810.	32.09	36	33.94	94.54	181.	334.	74	28	0	82
	V	24	16	40	6827.	37.65	45	39.09	96.32	181.	265.	4	26	5	104
	IV	11	18	29	5529.5	30.89	37	32.73	94.38	179.	326.5	69	16	0	83
	III	21	21	42	6532.	36.64	47	38.50	95.17	179.	359.5	32	18	0	126
	II	21	13	34	5848.5	31.71	44	34.15	92.86	179.	307.	24	0	0	74
	I-II	15	7	22	3992.5	22.26	29	24.27	91.72	179.	347.	85	5	0	66
	I	17	22	39	6355.	35.89	46	38.08	94.25	179.	467.5	23	4	0	121
Total		172	172	344	58402.5	323.88	394	341.30	94.90		3107.5	382	153	5	876
Pond	VI	14	12	26	4342.5	24.03	27	25.34	94.83	181.	243.	22	14	0	160
	V	9	10	19	3171.5	17.53	21	19.14	91.58	181.	295.	25	13	0	11
	IV	16	12	28	4953.5	27.69	31	29.61	93.52	179.	346.5	9	10	0	17
	III	13	16	29	4835.5	27.06	32	29.43	91.95	179.	429.5	15	13	1	15
	II	20	21	41	6151.	34.37	45	38.43	89.44	179.	728.	90	30	0	55
	I	15	21	36	5313.5	30.12	38	33.34	90.34	179.	728.5	24	14	3	44
Total		87	92	179	28767.5	160.80	194	175.29	91.73		2770.5	185	94	4	302
Total		259	264	523	87170.0	484.68	588	516.59	93.82		5878.0	567	247	9	1178
Ward I		412	391	803	129879.	721.77	869	771.11	93.60	181.	8989.	443	131	3	272
Ward II		419	451	870	141712.	784.85	934	835.02	93.99	181.	8924.	724	301	11	2219
Ward III		301	293	594	99585.	552.84	654	595.90	92.77	181.	7729.	413	141	8	261
Ward IV		233	265	498	78697.	431.60	544	473.32	91.19	181.	6500.5	738	159	13	326
Ward V		259	264	523	87170.	484.68	588	516.59	93.82	181.	5878.	567	247	9	1178
High School		519	613	1132	184009.	1004.96	1150	1075.34	93.47	183.	12870.	1788	740		
Grand Total		2143	2277	4420	721052.	3980.70	4739	4267.28	93.28		50890.5	4673	1719		

EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS

Name and School	Grade	Salary January 1, 1932	Elected	Years Teaching Experience	Years College or Normal Training	Other Courses	Trade Experience
High School							
Middle Street, East Weymouth			Telephone—Weymouth 1100				
Frederick W. Hilton, A. B.	Prin.	\$4000.00	1911	35	4	3	0
Velma Abbott	Clerk	1550.00	1930	1	1	0	12
Hazel M. Agnew	Inst.	1750.00	1920	12	0	3	12
Gladys B. Allen, A. B.	Inst.	1800.00	1925	7	4	1	0
L. Josephine Baker, A. B.	Inst.	1600.00	1929	5	4	4	0
Helen C. Barnard	Inst.	1600.00	*	28	1	2	0
Esther L. Benson	Inst.	1800.00	1929	7	3	4	0
Anna F. Berry, A. B.	Inst.	1850.00	1919	26	4	9	0
Prescott B. Brown	Inst.	2500.00	1911	20	1	3	0
Ernestine Canning, A. B., Ed. M.	Inst.	1900.00	1921	11	6	3	0
Alene E. Clifford, B. S. Ed.	Inst.	1500.00	1930	5	4	0	0
John K. Delahunt, B. S.	Inst.	2100.00	1930	5	4	2	0
Eleanor Freeman, A. B.	Inst.	1300.00	1929	2	4	1	0
John T. Gannon, A. B.	Inst.	2500.00	1921	10	4	5	0
Rose R. Grace, A. B.	Inst.	1700.00	1929	5	4	0	0
Sheila M. Gross, B. S.	Librarian	1800.00	1928	7	4	12	4
Olive E. Hackett	Inst.	1850.00	1926	7	1	7	0
Inez E. Hoag	Inst.	1500.00	1931	2	3	1	0
Everett N. Hollis	Inst.	2500.00	1898	33	2	4	0
Mary C. Humphrey, Ph. B.	Inst.	1800.00	1916	27	3	5	0
Lillian Jefts, A. B., A. M.	Inst.	1800.00	1929	16	5	4	0
Fred L. Kennedy, B. S. in C. E.	Coach	2500.00	1930	3	4	0	0
Margaret K. Langford	Inst.	1450.00	1929	3	2	3	1
Clarence R. Lyond, B. S.	Inst.	2200.00	1928	6	4	7	0
Thomas A. Lyons, A. B.	Inst.	2500.00	1921	11	5	5	0
John F. Martin, A. B.	Inst.	1500.00	1929	2	4	3	0
Helen M. Norris	Inst.	1750.00	1927	6	2	1	0
Daniel L. O'Donnell, L. L. B.	Inst.	2300.00	1925	6	3	1	0
Oral A. Page, B. S.	Inst.	2500.00	1928	12	4	6	0
Susan G. Sheehan	Inst.	1950.00	1907	25	2	12	0
Eva Skala, B. S. Ed.	Inst.	1800.00	1929	2	4	0	0
George O. Stewart, Ph. B.	Inst.	2500.00	1924	10	3	2	0
Herberta L. Stockwell, R. N.	Nurse	1900.00	1930	1	3	0	9
Pauline F. Swift, A. B.	Inst.	1600.00	1930	4	4	0	0
Helen R. Thompson	Inst.	1700.00	1925	9	1	8	0
Ruth A. Thompson, B. S.	Inst.	1400.00	1931	2	4	2	1
Ruth Tirrell, A. B.	Inst.	1550.00	1928	3	4	1	0
Martha Vining, A. B.	Inst.	1400.00	1930	2	4	0	0
Mildred A. Wagg	Inst.	1650.00	*	14	2½	9	0
Helen M. Walker, B. B. A.	Inst.	1700.00	1930	4	4	0	4

* Temporary

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Name of School	Grade	Salary January 1, 1932	Elected	Years Teaching Experience	Years College or Normal Training	Other Courses	Trade Experience
Alice White, B. S. Ed.	Inst.	1800.00	1930	8	4	7	0
Dora S. White, A. B.	Inst.	1600.00	*	20	4	4	0
Wallace L. Whittle, B.S.	Inst.	2800.00	1921	11	4	5	0
Fannie L. Williams	Inst.	1600.00	*	8	0	6	25

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Francis E. Whipple, Jr.	Direc.	\$2800.00	1925	6	1	7	8
Lewis H. Bacon, Jr.	Inst.	2300.00	1927	4	2	3	12
Daniel E. Bryan	Inst.	2200.00	1930	1	4	1	14
Harry F. Duncan	Inst.	2200.00	1929	2	0	3	9
Jalmar N. Nelson	Inst.	2400.00	1924	7	0	5	10
Ray G. Parker	Inst.	2500.00	1922	9	2	3	2
Harold C. Sherwood	Inst.	2200.00	*	0	2	0	13
James F. Steele, B. S.	Inst.	2400.00	1926	8	4	5	5
Waldo H. Swan, A. B., A. M.	Inst.	2400.00	1929	9	7	11	1
F. E. Whipple	Inst.	2200.00	*	2	0	0	39
Joseph K. Whittemore	Inst.	2700.00	1927	5	2	3	4

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Hilmer S. Nelson	Direc.	\$2800.00	1925	6	2	4	10
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Adeline M. Canterbury	Prin.	\$2200.00	1887	44	0	5
Mary B. Thomas	Asst Prin.	1600.00	*	25	1	4
Mary D. Luce	VIII	1300.00	*	16	2	4
Helen G. Lyons, B. S. Ed.	VIII	1800.00	1922	9	4	0
Anita L. Petrucci, A. B.	VIII	1550.00	1927	4	4	3
Elwood L. Denham	VII	1900.00	1930	5	3	7
Ruth E. Funk, A. B.	VII	1200.00	1930	1	5	3
Priscilla M. Sargent, A. B.	VII	1100.00	1931	0	4	0
Helena F. Reidy	VII	1750.00	1913	19	2	5

Opportunity Class

E. Louise Barker	All	\$1700.00	1929	5	3	3
Doris M. Partridge	All	1600.00	1930	5½	2	1

Adams School**Church Street, East Weymouth**

Annie S. McDowell	I-II	\$1250.00	*	15	1	4
Louise Petrucelli	III-IV	1350.00	1927	4	2	2
Helen G. Lebbossiere	I	900.00	1931	0	2	0

* Temporary

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Athens School						
Athens Street, North Weymouth Telephone—Weymouth 1172-W						
Joseph U. Teague	Prin. VI	\$2200.00	1922	16	1	3
Marie F. Galvin	V	1700.00	1921	10	2	5
Mary A. Meuse	IV	1350.00	1927	4	2	2
Margaret Dingwall	III	1750.00	1912	19	2	3
Beatrice M. White	II	1600.00	1926	6	2	4
Julia M. Robinson	I	1700.00	1930	27	2	0
Bicknell School						
Bicknell Square, North Weymouth...Telephone—Weymouth 1571-R						
E. Leo Madden	Prin.	\$2600.00	1922	9	3	0
Philip T. Jones	Asst. Prin.	1100.00	1931	0	4	0
Esther L. Mayo	VIII	1350.00	1928	3	3	1
Charlotte F. Murphy	VIII	1700.00	1923	8	2	6
Margaret E. O'Brien	VII	1200.00	*	34	3	0
Margaret E. Stevens	VII	1200.00	*	19	1	0
Mignon E. Pray	VI	1350.00	1927	4	2	3
Alma M. Roche	VI	1000.00	1930	1	2	0
C. Eileen Burns	V	1700.00	1920	15	1	15
Ruth E. Mayo	V	1450.00	1927	4	3	1
Marion MacWilliams	IV	1650.00	1926	11	1	10
Mary E. Tobin	IV	1100.00	1929	2	2	0
Alice K. Guertin	III	1250.00	1928	3	2	27
Marjorie Maynard	III	1100.00	1929	2	2	1
Clara L. Rogers	II	1700.00	1923	8	2	3
Elizabeth G. Stratton	II	1000.00	1930	1	2	0
Thelma Hatch	I	1250.00	1928	3	2	1
Alice M. Murphy	I	1450.00	1926	5	2	2
James Humphrey School						
Humphrey Street, East Weymouth Tel.—Weymouth 1012-W						
Gertrude L. Reid	Prin.	\$2050.00	1902	29	2	10
Ina M. Ambach	VI	1600.00	1924	37	2	8
Elizabeth Egan	VI	1750.00	1914	32	1	9
Anne F. Conroy	V	1700.00	1894	37	1	2
Mary E. McMorro	V	1450.00	1926	5	2	10
Margaret L. Mitchell	IV	1000.00	1930	1	2	0
Josephine E. Ray	III	1100.00	1931	2	2	2
Mary B. Halligan	II	1450.00	1926	5	2	3
Alice B. Keohan	I	1350.00	1927	4	2	3

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EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS

Name and School	Grade	Salary January 1, 1932	Elected	Years Teaching Experience	Years College or Normal Training	Other Courses
Jefferson School						
Middle Street, East Weymouth			Telephone—Weymouth 2177-W			
Ruth M. Reidy	Prin. IV	\$1950.00	1912	19	2	4
L. Eyllen Hollis	III	1600.00	1925	6	2	8
Mellissa Chase	II	1800.00	1909	23	3	9
Mary C. Shea	I	1600.00	1917	14	2	2
Washington School						
Commercial Street, East Weymouth			Tel. Weymouth 1868-W			
Rosamond E. Cunniff	Prin. V	\$1900.00	1920	13	2	5
Esther M. Rydgren	VI	1000.00	1930	1	2	0
Mary V. Paul	IV	1700.00	1923	10	2	8
Annie J. McGreevy	III	1600.00	1885	46	0	0
Elizabeth H. Curtin	II	1600.00	1925	6	2	5
Elizabeth G. Hyland	I	1600.00	1890	41	1	0
Hunt School						
Broad Street, Weymouth			Telephone—Weymouth 1006			
Charles Y. Berry, L. L. B.	Prin	\$3000.00	1910	23	6	7
Robert H. Hiatt	Asst. Prin. VIII	1950.00	1926	6	3	2
Robert E. Mitchell, A. B.	VIII	1100.00	1931	0	4	0
Nunzie C. Daniele	VII	1000.00	1931	0	3	0
Madeline L. Cote, A. B.	VII	1200.00	1930	1	4	0
Clara E. McGreevy	VI	1700.00	1917	39	1	2
Elisabeth T. Tracy	VI	1750.00	1902	30	2	11
Ruth Thompson	VI	1650.00	1928	12	2	1
Florence A. McKenzie	V	1600.00	1925	6	2	2
Eleanor L. Garvin, B. S. Ed.	V	1550.00	1927	4	4	1
Martha A. Loud	V	1800.00	1916	22	1	5
Marie K. Ghiorse	IV	1000.00	1930	1	2	0
Mabelle Claflin	IV	1600.00	1928	7	2	7
Kathryn L. Regan	III	900.00	1931	0	2	0
Margaret S. Towle	III	1700.00	1914	20	2	2
Mary E. Crotty	III	1600.00	1887	44	1	0
Martha H. Whittle	II	1450.00	1926	5	2	2
Grace A. Randall	II	1700.00	1903	33	2	4
Helen F. Galvin	I	1700.00	1923	8	2	3
Susan M. Tracy	I	1750.00	1907	24	2	4
A. Alberta Richmond	I	900.00	1931	0	2	0

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EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS

Name and School	Grade	Salary January 1, 1932	Elected	Years Teaching Experience	Years College or Normal Training	Other Courses
Center Portable						
Middle and Washington Streets, East Weymouth						
Margaret S. Wise	III-IV	\$1100.00	1930	2	2	1
Alice Owen	I-II	1200.00	1931	1	4	0
Pratt School						
Pleasant Street, East Weymouth		Telephone Weymouth 0297-R				
Mabel E. Roode	Prin. VIII	\$2000.00	1926	23	2	6
Dorothy U. Murphy	VII	1700.00	1924	11	2	7
Marie B. Upton	VI	1200.00	1929	2	3	4
Margarita M. Jones	V	1350.00	1927	4	2	2
Marion R. Loud	IV	1450.00	1927	4	4	5
Nellie M. Holbrook	III	1650.00	1890	42	1	0
Barbara Allen	II	1600.00	1925	6	2	4
Kathleen A. Dwyer	I	1600.00	1925	6	2	5
Shaw School						
Main Street, South Weymouth		Telephone—Weymouth 1012-M				
May I. Letteney	Prin. VII-VIII	\$1800.00	1922	12	2	7
Evelyn M. Linscott	V-VI	1100.00	1929	2	2	2
Ethel M. Hiatt	III-IV	1700.00	1915	20	2	4
Margaret Q. Donahue	I-II	1600.00	1922	13	2	3
Mary A. Nolan	I	1200.00	*	6	2	0
Edward B. Nevin School						
Main Street, South Weymouth		Telephone—Weymouth 1055-W				
Grace B. Simmons	Prin.	2350.00	1919	35	0	41
Helen L. Rockwood	Asst. Prin VIII	1900.00	1887	44	0	6
Mary H. Benson	VIII	1800.00	1929	9	2	11
David A. J. Burns, B. S.	VII	1100.00	1931	0	4	8
Alice B. Wallace	VII	1350.00	*	14	2	8
Genevieve A. Perkins	VI	1000.00	1930	1	3	18
Elizabeth L. Hallahan	V	1700.00	1894	37	1	3
Marion E. Brown, A. B.	IV	1100.00	1931	0	4	2
Winifred L. Conant	III	1700.00	1923	10	0	8
Helen M. King	II	1250.00	1928	3	3	1
Jane Hicks	II-III	1350.00	1928	3	3	2
L. May Chessman	I	1800.00	1900	31	2	7
Norma R. Brown	I	1600.00	1931	11	3	20

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EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS

Name and School	Grade	Salary January 1, 1932	Elected	Years Teaching Experience	Years College or Normal Training	Other Courses
Pond School						
Pond Street, South Weymouth			Telephone—Weymouth 0211-J			
Alice E. Fulton, B. S. Ed.	Prin. VI	\$1900.00	1921	10	6	4
Miriam T. Hollis, B. S. Ed.	V	1450.00	1928	3	4	3
Esther R. Visco	IV	1350.00	1927	4	2	5
Thelma Salzgeber	III	900.00	1931	0	2	0
Mildred L. Leonard	II	1650.00	1928	7	2	2
Dorothy M. Fitzpatrick	I	900.00	1931	0	2	0
Supervisors						
Elizabeth Ahern	Asst. Sewing	\$ 300.00	*	8	0	5
Sarah E. Brassill	School Gardens	2000.00	1916	34	2	0
James W. Calderwood	Music	3000.00	1910	21	3	2
Alice A. Conroy, D. H.	Dental Clinic	1700.00	1926	9	1	1
Katherine C. Fogarty	Penmanship	2000.00	1905	29	2	4
Anna A. MacDavitt, R. N.	School Nurse	2000.00	1922	10	4	2
Flora H. McGrath, B. S. Ed., Ed. M.	Director, Courses of Study	2300.00	1928	4	7	0
Vance W. Monroe	Asst. Music	2400.00	1928	6	0	6
Hazel R. Nietzold, B. S. Ed.	Asst. Draw.	1600.00	1929	3	4	5
Marion Ray	Asst. Draw.	1600.00	1929	3	5	4
Evelyn Silvester	Drawing	2000.00	1918	16	3	10
Marjorie E. Skinner	Sewing	2000.00	1926	11	3	5
Alice L. Tucker	Manual Training	2000.00	1912	20	2	4
Evening Practical Arts						
Mary E. Hackett	Foods					
Alice E. Morton	Dressmaking					
Dolores G. Taylor	Dressmaking					

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JANITORS

High School—Mrs. Beatrice Bates, 93 Pearl Street, North Weymouth; Harry W. Caldwell, 335 North Street, North Weymouth; Stuart R. Macaulay, 14 Linden Place, East Weymouth; James Maguire, 15 Whitman Street, East Weymouth; Edward Pottle, 15 Lochmere Avenue, North Weymouth. Telephone Weymouth 0912-R.

Junior Annex—M. Ward Holbrook, 742 Main St., South Weymouth.

Adams School—Henry W. Blanchard, 23 Church St., East Weymouth.

Bicknell School—Emil J. Olson, 39 Massasoit Road, North Weymouth. Telephone Weymouth 2172-R.

Charles H. Williams, 25 Lincoln Street, North Weymouth. Telephone Weymouth 1264-W.

Athens School—Fred W. Stoddard, 282 North St., North Weymouth.

James Humphrey School—Louis St. Peter, 132 Lake Street, East Weymouth.

Jefferson School—Irving Newcomb, 108 Middle Street, East Weymouth. Telephone Weymouth 1032.

Washington School—William E. Johnson, 127 Middle Street, East Weymouth. Telephone Weymouth 0232-M.

Hunt School—John M. Sullivan, 4 Stetson Street, Weymouth, Thomas Sweeney, 12 Franklin Street, Weymouth.

Center Portable—John W. Knox, 661 Middle St., East Weymouth.

Pratt School—Herbert T. MacFawn, 731 Pleasant Street, South Weymouth.

Shaw School—Frederick J. Blanchard, 31 Highland Place, South Weymouth. Telephone Weymouth 0237-J.

Edward B. Nevin School—Winfield B. Baker, 27 Tower Avenue, South Weymouth. Telephone Weymouth 0652-W.

Pond School—J. A. Rogers, 181 Pond Street, South Weymouth. Telephone Weymouth 1756-W.

SCHOOL PHYSICIANS

Adams, Athens and Bicknell Schools—W. H. Drake, M.D., 88 Sea Street, North Weymouth. Telephone Weymouth 0450.

James Humphrey and Junior Annex Schools—J. Herbert Libby, M.D., 707 Broad Street, East Weymouth. Tel. Weymouth 0216.

Jefferson and Washington Schools—H. E. Bowmar, M.D., 665 Broad Street, East Weymouth. Telephone Weymouth 0034.

Hunt and Center Portable Schools—C. S. Webber, M.D., 35 Front Street, Weymouth. Telephone Weymouth 0156.

Pratt and Shaw Schools—K. H. Granger, M.D., 129 Pleasant Street, South Weymouth. Telephone Weymouth 2080.

Edward B. Nevin and Pond Schools—Robert R. Ryan, M.D., 32 Union Street, South Weymouth. Telephone Weymouth 1380.

CLOSING REPORT OF THE BICKNELL SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE

To the Citizens of Weymouth:

Although the general construction of the Bicknell School was completed on November 29, 1930, and the building made ready for occupancy at that time, formal acceptance did not take place until sixty days later, or about the middle of January. At that time there was an informal dedication of the building under the auspices of the Parent-Teachers' Association, with a musical entertainment and a short address by Burr F. Jones, State Supervisor of Elementary Education. During the evening the building was open to visitors for inspection, and a large number availed themselves of the privilege.

The balance available, as shown in last year's report, \$5,692.80, plus an adjustment with the general contractors of \$50.00, making a total of \$5,742.80, was expended as follows:

Charles H. Burkett		
Extra painting in gymnasium		\$ 328.80
Connor Electric Corp.		
Extra work in old building		110.80
Edward T. Dwyer		
Moving 2,200 yards filling and other labor		682.50
Francis J. Fay		
464 yards loam		928.45
Granite City Electrical Supply Co.		
Flood lights and other material		229.18
Holtzer-Cabot Electric Co.		
Inside telephone		18.00
Labor		
Hired by Committee		743.13
Old Colony Gas Co.		
Exit lights		24.33
A. C. Trojano		
622 sq. yds. sidewalk, @ \$1.70	\$1,057.40	
276 lin. ft. lawn curb, @ \$.70	193.20	
1240 lin. ft. sidew'k curb with curb bar @ .85	1,054.00	
2 catch basins	111.10	2,415.70
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Russell H. Whiting		
Surveys		261.91
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		\$5,742.80

A summary of the expenses incurred under the total appropriation during the two years is as follows:

BICKNELL SCHOOL ADDITION

CONSTRUCTION

Dacey & Tibbetts, Inc., On account contract	\$95,880.00	
Additional work	2,438.80	\$98,318.80

HEATING & VENTILATING

T. A. Ridder Co., Inc., On account contract		22,070.00
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ARCHITECT & ENGINEER

Howard B. S. Prescott, Architect	6,000.00	
Leslie Clough, Engineer	663.00	6,663.00

ELECTRIC WIRING & FIXTURES

Connor Electric Corporation,		
On account contract	4,598.00	
Additional work	110.80	
E. N. Fisher, Labor	203.75	
Granite City Electrical Supply Co.,		
Fixtures and material	1,031.20	
Holtzer-Cabot Electric Co., Telephone	18.00	
Weymouth Light & Power Co., Laying cable	415.00	6,376.75

SEPTIC TANK, SIDEWALKS & CURBINGS

A. C. Trojano, On account contract	4,737.15	
Russell H. Whiting, Survey and services	608.18	5,345.33

FURNISHINGS

Edward E. Babb & Co., Teachers' and pupils'		
desks, chairs, auditorium chairs	3,388.49	
Chandler & Farquhar Co.,		
Manual training benches	198.68	
Gorham Fire Equipment Co., Fire extinguishers	116.64	
Narragansett Machine Co., Gymnasium equipment	350.00	
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., Freight on equipment	6.24	
Tontine Shade Shop, Shades	196.73	
Labor, Manual training benches	189.00	4,445.78

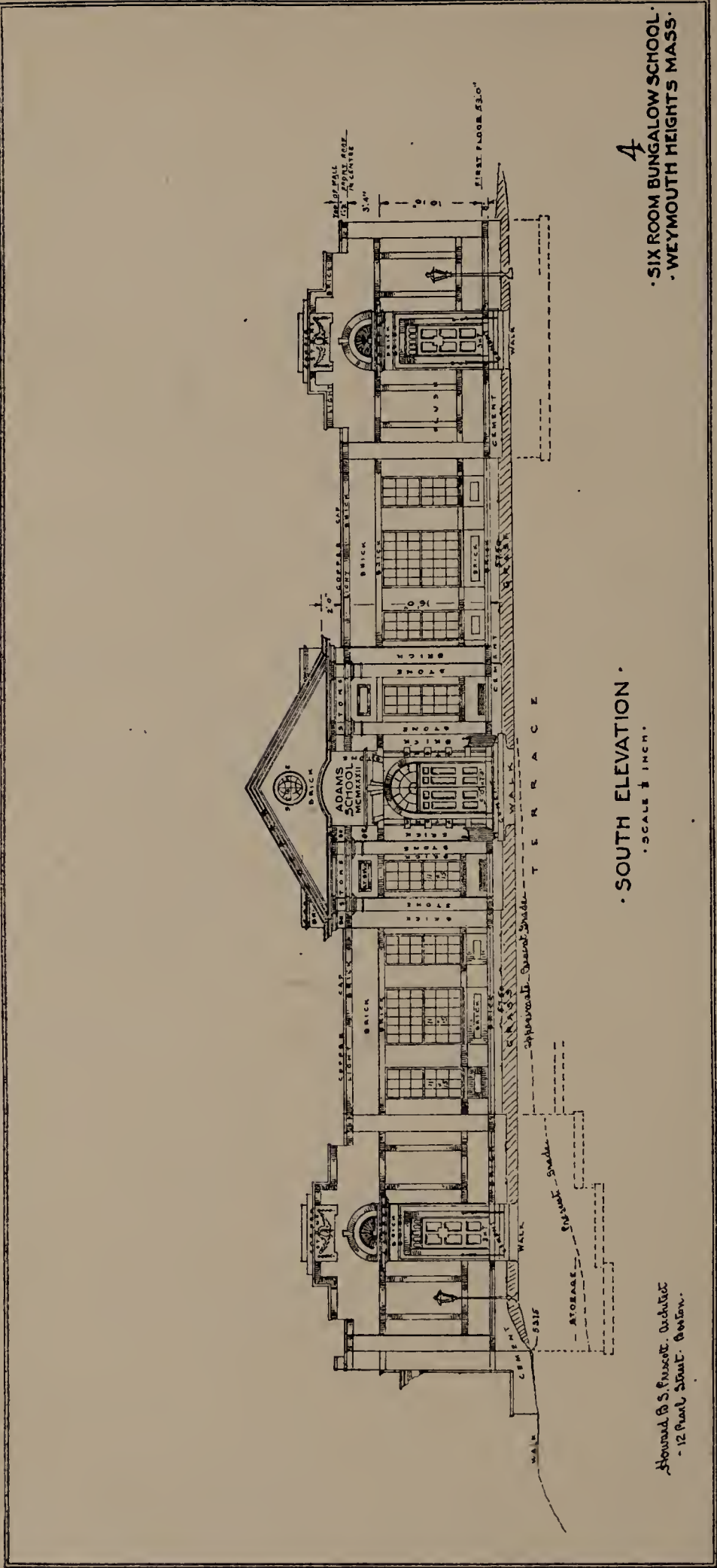
MISCELLANEOUS

Charles H. Burkett, Painting	468.00	
Edward T. Dwyer, Grading	682.50	
F. J. Fay, Grading	928.45	

R. S. Hoffman & Co.,		
Bonds for construction, heating and wiring contracts	1,845.72	
F. E. Lunt, Sand and gravel	24.00	
Old Colony Gas Co., Piping	148.53	
James I. Peers, Rental cement mixer	5.00	
Rhines Lumber Co., Drain pipe and cement	128.53	
George W. Stone Co., Tools	10.55	
Weymouth Water Department,		
Connecting pipe & water service	55.30	
Labor, Grading and laying conduit	983.76	5,280.34
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TOTAL EXPENDITURES		148,500.00

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN H. TOWER, Chairman
 PRINCE H. TIRRELL, Secretary
 C. LINCOLN ABBOTT
 LOUISE R. CRAWFORD
 WILLIAM J. FITZSIMMONS
 JOHN P. HUNT
 JOSEPH KELLEY
 J. HERBERT LIBBY, M. D.
 PARKER T. PEARSON
 FRANCIS W. REA
 EDWIN R. SAMPSON
 ETHEL G. TAYLOR
 THERON L. TIRRELL



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SIX ROOM BUNGALOW SCHOOL.
WEYMOUTH HEIGHTS MASS.

SOUTH ELEVATION
SCALE 1/8" = 1'

Howard B. Foxcroft, Architect
12 Pearl Street, Boston.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE FOR PLANS OF NEW SCHOOLHOUSE AT WEYMOUTH HEIGHTS

To the Citizens of Weymouth:

Under a vote at the last Annual Town Meeting the undersigned were appointed by the Moderator a Committee to obtain plans and bids on a schoolhouse to be located on land on Church Street, Weymouth Heights, and a sum of \$1,500.00 was voted to be raised and appropriated to be expended under the direction of this Committee for such purpose.

The Committee organized with Allan C. Emery as Chairman, and Prince H. Tirrell as Secretary.

Mr. Howard B. S. Prescott, Architect of a considerable number of schools in Weymouth, was authorized to prepare plans for a six-room schoolhouse, with assembly hall, fitted for the location secured.

Such plans have been prepared in detail, and have been accepted by the Committee as suitable for the location and well designed for the use proposed.

Before the date of the Annual Town Meeting there should be at hand bids or estimates of cost in proper form to be presented to the meeting.

A further report of the Committee will, therefore, be presented at the March meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

ALLAN C. EMERY, Chairman
PRINCE H. TIRRELL, Secretary
FRED L. ALDEN
PATRICK J. DERRIG
PARKER T. PEARSON
EDWIN R. SAMPSON
CHARLES E. STILES

REPORT OF THE TOWN ACCOUNTANT

East Weymouth, Mass.

January 22, 1932

To the Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I submit the thirtieth annual report of the Accounting Department, classified as nearly as possible to meet the requirements requested by the State Division of Accounts.

The customary examination of the accounts of the several Town officials has been made during the year and I believe the reports made by those officials to be correct. Cash balances have been verified at least once a month as required by law.

The Town Treasurer's office was established in the Town Hall soon after the annual meeting and has accomplished all that was expected in bringing about more efficient management of Town finances.

The several Trust accounts in possession of the Treasurer have been examined and found correct. It is gratifying to note that the Laban Pratt Hospital Fund has now passed the \$400,000 mark and it would seem that the policy of the Town relative to this fund has been a wise one. Should this fund be allowed to remain at interest a while longer the fear of the hospital becoming a liability on the Town would be reduced to a minimum.

The final payment was made in 1931 on the loan issued for the installation of the Police Signal System. Although an issue of \$27,000 in notes was made for the construction of the Water Storage Tank at the Edgar Station of the Edison Electric Illuminating Co. of Boston the net debt of the Town was reduced to \$932,000 by the payment of \$84,000 for debt retirement in 1931.

The borrowing capacity has increased to \$494,601.41. The Town appropriated \$75,000 from Surplus Revenue in 1931 which accounts in part for the fact that Surplus Revenue has decreased this year to \$164,978.07.

The assessment of \$40,130.58 levied by the Commonwealth for Weymouth's entrance into the South Metropolitan Sewerage District was not included in the tax levy by the Assessors in view of the fact that certain legal aspects of the case were being given consideration. This amount was, however, deducted by the State Treasurer in the annual settlement with the Town which accounts for the overdraft in this item.

The classification of the many financial transactions for the past year is given in as great detail as would seem necessary in a published report. Should further information be desired, however, the citizens of Weymouth should never hesitate to seek it by calling at this office, where you may be assured all possible information will be gladly furnished by its personnel. In fact, it is my desire that true facts relative to financial and other matters be ascertained to the end that mis-statements pertaining to municipal activities, which have a detrimental effect on our Town, be eliminated.

The willingness of the officials and department heads to co-operate in the work of this department has been most helpful.

Respectfully,

EMERSON R. DIZER

Town Accountant.

RECEIPTS

General Revenue:

Taxes:

Current year:

Property	\$840,717.75	
Poll	11,872.00	\$852,589.75

Previous years:

Property	\$303,740.53	
Polls	152.00	303,892.53

From Commonwealth:

Corporation Tax—1931	\$101,809.69	
Corporation Tax—Interest	15.81	
Corporation Tax—previous years	56.03	
Street Railway Tax	68.53	
Street Railway Tax—previous years	272.11	
National Bank Tax	100.01	
National Bank Tax—previous years	1.64	
Trust Company Tax	1,059.53	
Trust Company Tax—previous years	.10	
Cambridge Traffic Artery, refund	252.02	
Income Tax	128,219.57	
Gas tax, Acts 1931	15,008.73	246,863.77

Licenses and Permits:

Building Permits	\$676.00	
Victuallers Licenses	560.50	
Junk Licenses	525.00	
Fish, Fruit & Vegetable Licenses	410.00	
Auto Dealers' Licenses	250.00	
Garage Licenses	183.00	
Bus Licenses	170.00	
Gasoline permits	149.00	

Milk permits	104.00	
Moving picture permits	90.00	
Pool Licenses	60.00	
Pistol permits	46.00	
Miscellaneous	270.96	3,494.46
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Fines and Forfeits:		
East Norfolk District Court	682.67	
Dedham Court	86.50	769.17
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Grants and Gifts:		
From the Commonwealth:		
a/c Weymouth Industrial Arts School	11,864.13	
a/c Weymouth Household Arts School	2,586.96	
a/c Weymouth Part-Time Co-op School	2,561.23	
a/c Weymouth Eve, Practical Arts School	720.04	
a/c Other Industrial and Trade Schools	420.41	
a/c Other Continuation Schools	59.16	
a/c Smith-Hughes Fund	2,289.27	
a/c George Reed Fund	29.42	
From County of Norfolk:		
Dog Licenses Fees	2,467.43	22,998.05
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Special Assessments:		
Moth Extermination	\$1,758.65	
Sidewalks Construction	11.00	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax	54,424.69	
Old Age Assistance Tax	6,016.00	\$62,210.34
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General Government:		
Water Department—service	550.00	
Legal Department—refunds	440.83	
Town Hall—telephone	.45	
Sale Town Map	3.00	
Public Work Account—refund	6.33	1,000.61
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Fire Department:		
Restitution—ringing false alarms	75.00	
Rent—Ward One Fire Station	9.00	84.00
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Inspection:		
Sealer's fees		330.70
Forestry:		
Telephone Tolls	19.15	
Sale material, etc.	9.35	28.50
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Health and Sanitation:		
State Treas., subsidy		1,097.13

Highways:

Labor, material, etc., general	1,752.47	
Labor, material, etc., private work	2,814.38	4,566.85

Charities:

Reimbursement for Relief Given:		
From individuals	691.66	
From other cities and towns	12,188.03	
From the State	7,686.90	
Reimbursement for Mothers' Aid:		
From other cities and towns	4,008.82	
From the State	6,209.69	30,785.10

Soldiers' Benefits:

State Aid	1,170.00	
Military Aid	255.00	
Soldiers' Burials	93.00	
Soldiers' Relief	1,093.32	2,611.32

Schools:

Rent of Halls	643.00	
Sales of materials, supplies, etc.		
Schools, general	186.30	
Day Industrial School, general	20.21	
Day Industrial School, printing	472.66	
Day Industrial School, carpentry	109.29	
Day Industrial School, auto repairs	135.10	
Day Household Arts School	6.09	
Opportunity Class	134.20	
Tuition:		
Day Industrial School	2,003.39	
Elementary Schools	196.00	
Refunds	249.36	4,155.60

Libraries:

Income, Tufts Fund—Books	\$118.75	
Income, Tufts Reading Room Fund	118.75	
Income, Joseph E. Trask Fund	614.22	
Income, Augustus J. Richards Fund	241.04	
Income, Susannah Hunt Stetson Fund	121.87	
Income, Francis Flint Forsythe Fund	48.75	
Income, Tirrell Donation	48.75	
Income, Charles Henry Pratt Fund	25.00	
Librarian, fines, fees, etc:		
Weymouth Library	456.11	
East Weymouth Branch	173.93	
North Weymouth Branch	169.38	\$2,136.55

Recreation :

Locker fees, etc., Bath House		6.00
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Unclassified :

E. S. Beals Park Fund, Income	377.00	
H. W. Blanchard, rent	112.50	
Tax releases	519.00	
Taxes abated, later paid	11.30	
Clam industry, fees	10.00	
Refunds, War Memorial account	322.00	
Refunds, Town Hall Committee	5.00	
Refunds, Old Age Assistance	15.00	1,371.80

Public Service Enterprise :

Sale of Alewives		314.50
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Interest :

On Deposits :

Weymouth Trust Co.	1,305.66
Atlantic National Bank of Boston	1,092.25
Town Clerk's Account	19.75

On deferred Taxes :

1929, F. W. Holbrook	1,944.50
1930, F. W. Holbrook	11,058.36
1931, F. W. Holbrook	561.32

Accrued :

Water Storage Tank Notes	35.62
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Premiums :

Anticipation of Revenue Notes	2.25	16,019.71
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Municipal Indebtedness :

Anticipation of Revenue Notes	900,000.00	
Water Storage Tank Notes	27,000.00	927,000.00

Total receipts for the year 1931	2,484,326.44
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Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1931	525,666.96
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Total	\$3,009,993.40
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PAYMENTS

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Appropriation Committee :

John W. Heffernan, services, etc	\$364.15
Printing, stationery, etc.	235.85

Total	\$600.00
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Appropriation, March 2, 1931	600.00
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The New Town Hall and War Memorial Committee :

Balances from 1930 accounts	160.89
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Refund—February, 1931	130.00	
Refund—March, 1931	192.00	
Refund—August, 1931	5.00	
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Total		487.89
Expended:		
Charles Thomas & Son, Inc.	72.39	
Fletcher S. Hyde	5.00	
L. K. Colton	1.74	
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Total		79.13
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Balance to 1932 account		408.76
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Selectmen:		
William A. Connell, Chairman	800.00	
Fred E. Waite, Clerk	1,800.00	
H. Franklin Perry	700.00	
William A. Hannaford	700.00	
Charles H. Chubbuck	563.91	
Attendance at hearings, etc.:		
William A. Connell	130.00	
H. Franklin Perry	130.00	
William A. Hannaford	110.00	
Charles H. Chubbuck	100.00	
William A. Connell, expenses	307.45	
Fred E. Waite, expenses	563.39	
H. Franklin Perry, expenses	257.95	
William A. Hannaford, expenses	260.74	
Charles H. Chubbuck, expenses	204.95	
Bradford Hawes	500.00	
Equipment, stationery, etc.	447.48	
Postage	90.66	
Automobile hire	149.00	
Printing and Advertising	820.55	
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Total expended	8,636.08	
Balance to Treasury	927.82	
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Total		9,563.90
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		9,563.90
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Town Accountant:		
Emerson R. Dizer	\$3,000.00	
Mary E. Ford	2,000.00	
Clerical assistance	444.25	
Equipment, stationery and supplies	468.83	
Printing and Advertising	354.75	
Postage and envelopes	249.60	
Sundry expenses	25.75	
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Total	6,543.18	

Balance to Treasury	6.82	
Total		\$6,550.00
Appropriation, March, 2, 1931	6,000.00	
From Water Department	550.00	
Total		<u>\$6,550.00</u>
Treasurer's Department:		
Edwin R. Sampson, services	1,005.36	
John H. Stetson, services	291.67	
Velma M. Richardson	532.95	
Charles E. Stiles, Tem. Treas.	316.88	
Treasurer's Bond	257.50	
Certifying Town Notes	68.00	
Printing and Stationery	45.50	
Miscellaneous expenses	190.60	
Total expended	2,708.46	
Balance to Treasury	149.24	
Total		2,857.70
Appropriation, March 2, 1931	2,467.70	
From Reserve Fund, July 7, 1931	195.00	
From Reserve Fund, Aug. 25, 1931	195.00	
Total		<u>2,857.70</u>
Collector of Taxes:		
Frank W. Holbrook, commission	7,252.90	
Collector's Bond	515.00	
A. E. Barnes & Co., insurance	173.82	
Cash Books	70.00	
Total		8,011.72
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		<u>8,011.72</u>
Assessors' Department:		
John F. Dwyer, Chairman	\$2,220.00	
Charles W. Burgess	800.00	
Richard Halloran	800.00	
Harry E. Bearce	800.00	
Otis B. Torrey	800.00	
Catherine F. Howley	1,300.00	
Dorothy A. McCarthy	984.00	
Clerical Assistance	132.00	
Printing and Advertising	1,048.05	

Abstracts of Deeds	294.28	
Assessors' Meetings with Registrars	85.00	
Distributing Poll Tax Books	57.50	
Automobile Hire	75.00	
Supplies, stationery, postage, etc.	521.31	
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Total expended	9,917.14	
Balance to Treasury	552.86	
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Total		\$10,470.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		10,470.00
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Legal Department:		
Frederic G. Bauer, services	1,500.00	
Frederic G. Bauer, services	100.00	
Frederic G. Bauer, trial cases, etc.	645.00	
Transportation	22.00	
Law books, printing, blueprints, etc.	262.20	
Witness fees, supplies, stenographers, etc.	683.10	
Sundry payments—refunded	440.83	\$3,653.13
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Damages:		
Nellie S. Hunt, compensation	1,600.00	
Julia A. Sheehy, compensation	530.00	
Fred W. Baldwin, compensation	288.00	
Isabel Swain, damages	175.00	
Helen Smith, damages	125.00	
Ardella M. Groht, damages	55.00	
Florence H. Frazier, damages	15.00	
Brayton-Wilson-Cole Corp.	90.00	
Joseph Stedman Camp, S. of V.	12.00	
George E. Emerson, M. D. a/c Starrett	303.00	
J. M. Peckham, M. D. a/c Starrett	50.00	
Medical Services, compensation cases	303.00	
Compensation paid injured employees	341.08	\$3,887.08
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Total expended		\$7,540.21
Balance to Treasury		433.62
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Total		\$7,973.83
Appropriation, March 2, 1931	6,150.00	
Balance from 1930 account	8.00	
From Reserve Fund—Nov. 13, 1931	1,100.00	
From Reserve Fund—Dec. 10, 1931	275.00	
Refunds	440.83	
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Total		\$7,973.83
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Town Clerk's Department:		
Clayton B. Merchant:		
Services as Town Clerk	\$1,000.00	

Collecting, recording and indexing	969.40	
Returning births, individuals	106.25	
Returning deaths, individuals	58.50	
Copying, indexing and binding records:		
Remington Rand Bus. Serv.	791.90	
J. L. Fairbanks Co.	20.25	
Clerical Assistance	142.00	
Printing and Advertising	321.75	
Supplies, stationery, postage, etc.	493.65	
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Total expended	3,903.70	
Balance to Treasury	193.80	
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Total		\$4,097.50
Appropriation, March 2, 1931	4,060.00	
From Reserve Fund, April 23, 1931	37.50	
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Total		\$4,097.50
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Elections and Registrations:		
Edward P. Murphy, chairman	200.00	
Clayton B. Merchant, clerk	300.00	
John F. Reardon	200.00	
Joseph Crehan, Jr.	200.00	
Services of election officers:		
Precinct One	172.50	
Precinct Two	187.00	
Precinct Three	172.50	
Precinct Four	175.50	
Precinct Five	174.00	
Precinct Six	177.00	
Precinct Seven	172.50	
Precinct Eight	174.00	
Janitor Service	55.00	
Hall Rent	93.00	
Printing and Advertising	23.50	
Supplies, stationery, etc.	103.75	
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Total expended	2,580.25	
Balance to Treasury	143.29	
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Total		\$2,723.54
Appropriation, March 2, 1931	1,954.00	
From Reserve Fund, April 23, 1931	769.54	
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Total		\$2,723.54
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Engineering Department:		
Town Survey:		
Engineering Services	\$2,598.40	
Supplies, etc.	101.60	\$2,700.00
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Street Surveys, etc.		1,350.36

Bound Stones	1,378.35	
Office supplies, etc.	25.00	
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Total expended	\$5,453.71	
Balance to Treasury	371.29	
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Total		\$5,825.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		\$5,825.00
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Planning Board:		
R. H. Whiting, maps, etc,	174.41	
Pray & Kelley	27.00	
Mass. Federation of Planning Boards	15.00	
T. J. Kelly	2.25	
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Total expended	218.66	
Balance to Treasury	281.34	
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Total		\$500.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		500.00
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Maintenance Town Hall:		
Charles E. Dunbar, janitor	1,560.00	
Henry Tobin, janitor	60.00	
Aileen L. Raymond, switchboard operator	1,300.00	
Substitute switchboard operator	91.50	
George L. Foster, fireman	900.00	
Extra help, cleaning	636.50	
Weymouth Light & Power Co.	876.54	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	962.06	
Fore River Coal Co., fuel	587.54	
C. H. Burkett, painting	848.00	
Janitors supplies	517.99	
Repairs and equipment	208.99	
Carpentry work	142.40	
Flags	38.53	
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Total expended	8,730.05	
Balance to Treasury	129.95	
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Total		\$8,860.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931	8,525.00	
From Reserve Fund, Nov. 20, 1931	335.00	
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Total		\$8,860.00
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Soldiers' Monument and Memorials:		
John T. McIsaac, Supt.	\$186.00	
N. Weymouth Cemetery Association	75.00	
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Total expended	261.00	

Balance to Treasury	14.00	
Total		\$275.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931	\$200.00	
From Reserve Fund, Aug. 25, 1931	75.00	
Total		\$275.00
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Police Department		
Salaries and Wages:		
Chief and Pension	2,288.12	
Captain and Chief	2,796.00	
Lieutenant and Captain	2,348.60	
Sergeants (3)	6,600.00	
Patrolmen (18)	35,152.50	
Patrolmen (4)	7,962.50	
Specials	7,551.40	\$64,699.12
Silent Police, Traffic Signs, lights, etc.		
Weymouth Light & Power Co.	1,115.00	
Am. Gas Accumulator Co.	112.40	
Painting Streets	100.98	
The Niles Co., signs	87.20	
Miscellaneous	51.59	1,467.17
Equipment and Repairs		
General	151.36	
Maintenance of Motor Vehicles		
Bracket & Margeson, 2 automobiles	775.00	
Walker-Indian Co., 2 motorcycles	410.00	
Jenney Mfg. Co.	775.18	
Harold A. Hawes	58.75	
Norfolk Motors, Inc.	40.59	
Sargent Bros. Garage	39.35	
Miscellaneous	122.94	2,373.17
Fuel		223.75
Light		190.94
Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds:		
C. H. Burkett, painting	300.00	
Miscellaneous	247.29	547.29
Other Expenses:		
Telephones	255.03	
Printing	73.25	
Food for prisoners	40.30	
Miscellaneous	155.15	523.73
Enforcement of Liquor Law		245.00
Maint. Police Signal System		830.00
Total expended		71,100.17

Balance to Treasury	1,409.83
Total	<u>72,510.00</u>
Appropriation, March 2, 1931	<u>72,510.00</u>

Fire Department:

Salaries and wages:

Chief	\$2,502.86		
Deputy Chief	2,085.71		
Captains	8,309.99		
Lieutenants	9,820.72		
Privates	22,451.07		
Call men	743.04		
Services of men at fires			
C. A. Marr, clerk	\$297.50		
H. S. Pratt, clerk	426.00		
James McCarthy, clerk	357.00		
John Connor, clerk	280.00	1,360.50	\$47,273.89

Fire Alarm Account:

Superintendent	2,085.71
Assistant	1,825.00

Other expenses

The Gamewell Co.	772.97		
Geo. H. Wahn Co.	210.66		
G. H. Buckminster Co.	198.80		
Weymouth Baptist Church	150.00		
Am. Steel Wire Co.	115.60		
N. W. Pilgrim Society	112.50		
T. J. Kelly	61.40		
Wetmore-Savage Co.	39.08		
Lincoln-Perrault Co., Inc.	38.40		
Jenney Mfg. Co.	35.32		
H. L. Kincaide Co.	34.00		
Granite City Elec. Co.	30.16		
Miscellaneous	216.00		
Weymouth Lt. & Power Co., current	184.47	2,199.36	

Police Signal System

The Gamewell Co.	316.17		
Weymouth Light & Power Co.	234.00		
Geo. H. Wahn Co.	30.00		
George H. Buckminster Co.	25.20		
Knox Rust Paint Co.	6.17		
Crawford Machine Works	.73	612.27	6,722.34

Forest Fires :

Salaries and Wages :

C. A. Marr, clerk	747.50		
H. S. Pratt, clerk	684.00		
James McCarthy, clerk	497.00		
John Connor, clerk	592.00	2,520.50	

Other Expenses :

H. K. Barnes Co.	290.00		
Jenney Mfg. Co.	31.84		
Coffield Protector Co.	26.00		
M. F. Ellis & Co.	17.64		
Miscellaneous	136.19	501.67	3,022.17

Equipment and Repairs :

H. K. Barnes Co., hose	\$1,375.00		
H. K. Barnes Co.	408.85		
Jenney Mfg. Co.	360.24		
Mine Safety App. Co.	99.49		
F. G. Schenuit Co.	90.20		
Lincoln Perrault Co., Inc.	63.00		
Weymouth Light & Power Co.	56.60		
Dunlop Tire Co.	49.80		
Portalite Co.	49.51		
George Collins Co.	37.58		
Miscellaneous	260.83		
Total	2,851.10		
Combination One	573.83		
Combination Two	213.20		
Combination Three	144.26		
Combination Five	142.32		
Ladder One	345.59		
Ladder Two	142.64		
Squad A.	390.67		
Reserve Truck	300.00	\$5,103.61	

Fuel :

Combination One	109.40		
Combination Two	584.89		
Combination Three	460.94		
Combination Five	236.07	1,391.30	

Light :

Combination One	68.53		
Combination Two	166.23		
Combination Three	84.75		
Combination Five	72.00	391.51	

Maintenance Buildings and Grounds:

Combination One	296.07	
Combination Two	363.72	
Combination Three	394.55	
Combination Five	418.53	1,472.87

Other Expenses:

Telephones	529.42	
Printing	67.75	
Miscellaneous	129.00	726.17

Total expended		66,103.86
Balance to Treasury		4.95

Total		66,108.81
Appropriation, March 2, 1931	64,290.78	
Balance from 1930 account	173.03	
From Reserve Fund, April 14, 1931	515.00	
From Reserve Fund, Aug. 25, 1931	300.00	
From Police Department	830.00	

Total		66,108.81
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Hydrant Service:

Weymouth Water Department		\$16,500.00
Appropriated, March 2, 1931		16,500.00

Committee on Ward Two Fire Station:

Balance from 1930 account		66.66
Paid J. E. Ludden		27.00

Balance to 1932 account		39.66
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Construction Ward Two Fire Station:

Balance from 1930 account		10,875.42
J. J. Gallagher Construction Co.	\$9,047.32	
Edward I. Wilson	467.98	
Weymouth Light & Power Co.	416.50	
T. J. Kelly	294.30	
Charles H. Burkett	165.00	
Arthur P. Pope	143.10	
Charles L. Merritt	78.60	
Gorham Fire Equipment Co.	62.50	
Misc. items, labor, loam, etc.	190.68	10,865.98

Total expended		10,865.98
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Balance to 1932 account		9.44
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New Fire Alarm Circuit:

Balance from 1930 account		6,325.00
The Gamewell Co.		6,325.00

New Squad Truck:

Appropriation, March 2, 1931		5,200.00
American LaFrance Co.		5,200.00

Building Inspector :

Thomas J. Kelly, services	2,000.00	
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Thomas J. Kelly, transportation	665.00	
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Board of Appeal:

William A. Connell	140.00	
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R. H. Whiting	115.00	
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Frederic G. Bauer	110.00	
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Howard M. Dowd	35.00	
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Arthur I. Negus	25.00	
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Fred O. Stevens	5.00	
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Fred E. Waite	5.00	
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Miscellaneous	100.00	
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Total expended	3,200.00	
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Balance to Treasury	50.00	
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Total		3,250.00
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Appropriation, March 2, 1931		3,250.00
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Sealer of Weights and Measures :

Charles W. Burgess, services	\$1,000.00	
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Charles W. Burgess, transportation	500.00	
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Miscellaneous expenses	82.20	
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Total expended	1,582.20	
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Balance to Treasury	17.80	
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Total		\$1,600.00
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Appropriation, March 2, 1931		1,600.00
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Moth Department :

Payrolls—labor		\$3,905.11
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Arsenate of lead		642.24
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Truck Hire		888.77
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Repairs :

Fitzhenry-Guptill Co.	\$47.01	
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Norfolk Motors, Inc.	19.90	
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E. L. Bergstrom	12.88	
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Weymouth Lumber Co.	2.40	
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Lincoln-Perrault Co., Inc.	2.50	84.69
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Supplies :

Lime-sulphur	244.60	
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Gasoline, oil, etc.	362.28	
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Miscellaneous	138.10	744.98
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Alice A. Nash, storage		100.00
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N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.		67.90
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Clerical Work		13.75
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C. L. Merritt, expenses		6.00
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Fitzhenry-Guptill Co., new sprayer		1,225.00
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Clark & Taber, truck		250.00
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Total expended		7,928.44
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Balance to Treasury		391.56
Total		<u>8,320.00</u>
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		<u>8,320.00</u>
Tree Department:		
Payrolls—labor		1,452.50
Truck hire		290.25
Trees		300.00
C. L. Merritt, Tree Warden		75.00
Miscellaneous supplies, etc.		65.38
Total expended		<u>2,183.13</u>
Balance to Treasury		16.87
Total		<u>2,200.00</u>
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		<u>2,200.00</u>
Health Department:		
General Administration, stationery, postage, etc.		\$14.18
Contagious Disease Cases:		
Mass. Memorial Hospital	\$1,126.29	
State Infirmary	225.00	
W. H. Drake, M. D.	6.00	1,357.29
Tuberculosis Cases:		
Norfolk County Hospital	2,975.60	
Lakeville State Sanatorium	1,240.00	
Town of Milton	1,108.90	
N. Reading State Sanatorium	1,100.00	
Town of Wareham	341.90	6,766.40
Other Expenses:		
Inspection of dairies, etc.	177.50	
Plumbing Inspections	350.30	
Burying Animals	287.00	
Maintenance of Dumps	1,294.35	
Disinfecting	273.40	
Signs	82.00	
Investigations	58.00	
Miscellaneous	42.65	2,565.20
Total expended		<u>10,703.07</u>
Balance to Treasury		96.93
Total		<u>10,800.00</u>
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		<u>10,800.00</u>
Nurses:		
Weymouth Visiting Nurse Association		2,000.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		<u>2,000.00</u>

Tuberculosis Hospital—Norfolk County:		
Treasurer Norfolk County—Assessment		10,810.95
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		<u>10,810.95</u>
Sewerage System Committee:		
Gazette Publishing Co., printing		15.00
Envelopes, postage, etc.		<u>11.45</u>
Total expended		26.45
Balance to Treasury		<u>129.99</u>
Total		156.44
Balance from 1930 account		<u>156.44</u>
Garbage Disposal:		
Paid Dwyer Bros.		10,840.12
Balance to Treasury		<u>159.88</u>
Total		11,000.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		<u>11,000.00</u>
Highways:		
Arthur I. Negus, Superintendent	\$2,272.19	
I. E. Johnson, Superintendent	1,166.67	
Payrolls—1931	52,106.29	
Chauffeurs, roller engineers, etc	18,313.69	
Road oil, supplies, equipment, etc.	64,834.03	
Bridges	<u>800.00</u>	
Total expended	139,492.87	
Balance to Treasury	<u>737.82</u>	
Total		\$140,230.69
Appropriation, March 2, 1931	\$120,500.00	
Appropriation, July 13, 1931	10,000.00	
From Reserve Fund, Sept. 16, 1931	2,500.00	
By transfers:		
Use of trucks	3,910.06	
Crushed Stone	482.30	
Use Bear Cat Shovel	596.00	
Use of Rollers	1,303.00	
Gravel	803.53	
Asphalt	90.00	
Gasoline and oil	17.78	
Sand	15.00	
Pipe	<u>13.02</u>	
Total		<u>\$140,230.69</u>

The above amount expended is apportioned to the several items of expense in the Highway Department as follows:

Superintendent's Salary	\$3,438.86	
General Repairs	52,034.59	
Maintenance of Trucks, etc.	4,130.80	
Stone Crusher	1,931.72	
Fences and Signs	1,995.58	
Street cleaning	8,355.37	
Equipment and Supplies	8,213.69	
Bridges	800.00	
Gravel Sidewalks	1,613.37	
Maint. Dept. Bldg.	2,328.64	
Drains and Catch Basins	9,924.16	
Snow Removal	13,647.19	
Sundries	222.61	
Street Oiling	23,080.29	
New Truck	3,526.00	
New Roller	4,250.00	
	<u>\$139,492.87</u>	
Permanent Construction:		
Labor, etc.—payrolls	\$7,338.27	
Street Department:		
Use of trucks	\$1,013.13	
Use of roller	724.50	
Crushed Stone	248.40	
Gravel	76.76	
Use of Bear Cat Shovel	41.00	
Pipe	13.02	2,116.81
Weymouth Asphalt Concrete Co., Inc.	13,994.55	
A. C. Trojano	1,089.35	
Russell H. Whiting	168.45	
Rhines Lumber Co.	114.34	
Henry C. Pratt	97.67	
James I. Peers	91.00	
Weymouth Water Department	71.55	
Berger Metal Culvert Co.	49.39	
C. M. White Iron Works	26.00	
George R. Alemain	24.00	
Howard V. Pratt	23.38	
Nelson Cement Stone Co.	22.00	
Tony Daniele	15.00	
Weymouth Lumber Co.	1.20	
Sundries	.29	
Total expended	<u>25,243.25</u>	
Balance to Treasury	6.75	
Total		<u>\$25,250.00</u>
Appropriation, March 2, 1931	25,000.00	
From Permanent Sidewalk Account	250.00	
Total		<u><u>\$25,250.00</u></u>

Permanent Sidewalks:

Labor, etc.—payrolls		\$8,884.42
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Street Department:

Use of trucks	1,064.40	
Gravel	131.25	
Crushed Stone	104.00	
Use Bear Cat Shovel	45.00	1,344.65

Permanent Construction Account:

Labor	100.00	
Asphalt	150.00	250.00

Weymouth Asphalt Concrete Co., Inc.	7,130.43
John Daniele	2,483.95
Russell H. Whiting	362.79
Concrete Steel Co.	245.33
Henry C. Pratt	134.75
Weymouth Lumber Co.	132.74
Weymouth Water Department	104.05
Tony Daniele	101.20
Wollaston Foundry	28.41
Albert Sjostrom	21.00
C. M. White Iron Works	20.00
Rhines Lumber Co.	6.28

Total expended	\$21,250.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931	21,250.00

Relocating Street Corners:

Balance from 1930 account	\$1,274.01
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Expended:

Weymouth Asphalt Concrete Co.	\$137.39
Labor	59.92
Street Dept.—Use of trucks	12.50
Use of Roller	6.00
Crushed Stone	3.00
Gravel	.50
Mabel M. Perkins, award	27.60

Total	246.91
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Balance to 1932 account	\$1,027.10
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Widening Bridge Street:

Balance from 1930 account	911.00
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Expended:

Mabel M. Perkins, award	285.00
Silas A. Perkins, award	235.00

Total	520.00
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Balance to 1932 account	391.00
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Easement—Oakcrest Road:

Balance from 1930 account (unexpended)	100.00
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Right of Way—Bicknell Meadow:

Balance from 1930 account (unexpended)	1.00
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Resurfacing Wessagussett Road:

Balance from 1930 account	316.83
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Expended:

Labor	123.23
Street Dept.	
Use of Trucks	57.50
Use of Roller	48.00
Gravel	9.00
Old Colony Crushed Stone Co.	79.10

Total	316.83
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Plot—Front and Main Streets:

John Daniele, curbing	1,032.75
Russell H. Whiting	84.16
William N. Craig	20.00
Mrs. M. D. Leavitt, loam	4.00

Total expended	1,140.91
Balance to Treasury	39.09

Total	1,180.00
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Appropriation, March 2, 1931	820.00
Appropriation, July 13, 1931	360.00

Total	1,180.00
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Working Putnam Street:

Balance from 1931 account (unexpended)	\$250.00
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Working New Streets—1931:

Labor—payrolls	\$10,716.53
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Street Department:

Use of trucks	\$1,196.27
Use of Bear Cat Shovel	448.00
Use of Roller	270.00
Gravel	357.08
Crushed Stone	106.40

George C. Cleaves, Jr.	319.50
Russell H. Whiting	253.75
Weymouth Water Department	195.44
George R. Alemain	108.00
Henry C. Pratt	79.97
N. E. Concrete Pipe Co.	73.65
Crystal Sand & Gravel Co., Inc.	70.71
P. J. Hassett	15.00

Total expended	14,210.30
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Balance to Treasury	47.70	
Total		14,258.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		14,258.00
Relocation Street Corners—1931:		
Labor—payrolls	501.97	
Henry C. Pratt	66.60	
A. Hochstrasser	46.80	
John Daniele	35.00	
Russell H. Whiting	26.87	
Rhines Lumber Co.	10.83	
Total expended	688.07	
Balance to Treasury	181.93	
Total		870.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		870.00
Sea Wall—Fore River Avenue:		
James L. Trainer, contractor	6,978.88	
Labor—payrolls	898.62	
Street Department:		
Use of trucks	103.75	
Gravel	32.50	136.25
Charles S. Bicknell, inspector	270.00	
Russell H. Whiting	121.51	
Concrete Steel Co.	112.64	
Total expended	8,517.90	
Balance to Treasury	2.10	
Total		8,520.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931	8,500.00	
Credit for steel returned	20.00	
Total		8,520.00
Sidewalk—Tufts Fund:		
Weymouth Asphalt Concrete Co., Inc	\$267.16	
Labor—payrolls	178.83	
Weymouth Lumber Co.	3.57	
Total expended		\$449.56
Received from Tufts Fund—Income a/c		449.56
Private Work:		
Payrolls—labor	2,332.83	
The Barrett Co.	341.40	
Weymouth Asphalt Concrete Co., Inc.	169.53	
N. E. Concrete Pipe Co.	42.04	
Henry C. Pratt	35.40	

Crystal Sand & Gravel Co., Inc.	32.45	
George E. Keith Co.	31.50	
Rhines Lumber Co.	13.24	
C. M. White Iron Works	13.00	
Old Colony Crushed Stone Co.	9.00	
Bradford Weston	5.76	
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Total expended	3,022.00	
Balance to 1932 account	792.38	
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Total		3,814.38
Appropriation, March 2, 1931	1,000.00	
Reimbursements for private work	2,814.38	
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Total		<u>3,814.38</u>
Public Work—to relieve charity account:		
Labor, etc.—payrolls	33,611.02	
Street Department:		
Use of trucks	462.51	
Use of Rollers	254.50	
Gravel	196.44	
Asphalt	90.00	
Use of Bear Cat Shovel	62.00	
Crushed Stone	20.50	
Sand and labor	15.00	
Gasoline and oil	17.78	1,118.73
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N. E. Concrete Pipe Co., pipe	1,324.49	
Weymouth Asphalt Concrete Co., Inc.	585.09	
Henry C. Pratt, catch basins	530.30	
Russell H. Whiting, engineering	409.93	
Weymouth Water Dept., blasting, etc.	285.44	
Charles P. Reidy, automobile expense	154.00	
M. F. Ellis & Co., tools	123.51	
Wollaston Foundry, frames and grates	103.88	
Weymouth Lumber Co.	43.89	
Bradford Weston, crushed stone	40.64	
Nelson Cement Stone Co.	38.50	
George Alemain, gravel	36.60	
Rhines Lumber Co.	30.38	
Dunlop Tire & Rubber Co., tires	21.28	
T. J. Kelly	9.75	
C. R. Denbroeder	5.75	
Alvin Hollis & Co.	3.25	
Fred R. Snow	3.00	
M. R. Loud & Co.	2.61	
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Total	38,483.04	
Balance to Treasury	23.29	
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Total		\$38,506.33

Appropriation, March 2, 1931	\$25,000.00	
Appropriation, July 13, 1931	8,000.00	
From Reserve Fund, Oct. 22, 1931	2,500.00	
From Reserve Fund, Nov. 13, 1931	3,000.00	
Refund, November, 1931	6.33	
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Total		\$38,506.33
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Harbor Master:		
Anthony S. Veader, services	18.75	
Anthony S. Veader, expenses	243.88	
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Total expended	262.63	
Balance to Treasury	12.37	
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Total		275.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		275.00
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Street Lighting:		
Weymouth Light & Power Co.	37,238.74	
Balance to Treasury	750.26	
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Total		37,989.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		37,989.00
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Charities:		
General Administration:		
Margaret A. Hyland, Welfare Worker		\$2,000.00
Town Infirmary:		
Clifford A. Berry, Superintendent	\$1,800.00	
Extra help	435.00	
Fuel:		
Emerson Coal & Grain Co.	\$322.50	
A. J. Richards & Son	156.25	
Alvin Hollis & Co.	156.25	
Joseph F. Sullivan	77.50	712.50
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Weymouth Light & Power Co., light	131.73	
Weymouth Light & Power Co., current	236.94	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	68.67	
Provisions:		
H. M. True	401.87	
F. A. Loud & Co.	393.35	
L. H. Godin	390.40	
E. M. Dwyer	376.59	
J. F. Otis & Co.	205.19	
F. H. Sylvester	204.39	
I. Bloom & Son	202.85	
H. E. Bearce	200.18	
H. O. Collyer	187.66	
A. B. Bryant & Co.	183.68	
Miscellaneous	111.78	2,857.94
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Clothing:			
John J. Norton	98.60		
Daniel Hussey	24.85		
E. E. Merchant	15.70		
Miscellaneous	35.50	174.65	
Repairs, Maintenance, etc.:		367.06	
Miscellaneous, Supplies, etc.		671.07	
Medical Aid, etc.		239.67	
New Equipment:			
Weymouth Light & Power Co.:			
Washing Machine	225.00		
Sewing Machine	69.00	294.00	7,989.23
Outside Relief:			
Settled in Weymouth:			
Aided in Weymouth:			
Cash		19,203.50	
Rent		10,379.74	
Fuel		5,716.97	
Groceries		21,116.49	
Clothing		591.69	
Medical Aid		4,891.94	
Board		5,355.00	
Miscellaneous		1,759.03	69,014.36
Aided in other cities and towns:			
Cash		577.00	
Board		204.00	781.00
Aided by other cities and towns:			
Cash		\$2,355.09	
Rent		479.00	
Fuel		121.31	
Groceries		1,474.17	
Medical Aid		397.30	
Board		1,941.85	
Miscellaneous		52.83	\$6,821.55
Settled Elsewhere:			
Aided in Weymouth:			
Cash		3,624.88	
Rent		5,600.58	
Fuel		3,227.68	
Groceries		20,397.45	
Clothing		628.75	
Medical Aid		3,222.17	
Board		861.27	
Miscellaneous		700.79	38,263.57

Mothers' Aid Cases :

Settled in Weymouth :

Aided in Weymouth :

Cash	5,792.00	
Rent	525.00	
Fuel	403.90	
Groceries	531.71	
Clothing	35.82	
Miscellaneous	16.92	7,305.35

Aided by other cities and towns :

Cash	42.00	
Rent	45.00	
Fuel	48.86	
Groceries	43.01	178.87

Settled Elsewhere :

Aided in Weymouth :

Cash	6,001.00	
Rent	665.50	
Fuel	281.25	
Groceries	288.36	
Clothing	30.60	
Medical Aid	21.50	
Miscellaneous	25.64	7,313.85

Town Physicians	185.00
Miscellaneous	120.29

Total expended	139,973.07
Appropriation, March 2, 1931	79,870.00
Appropriation, July 13, 1931	52,000.00
Total	131,870.00

Expended in excess	8,103.07
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By order of the Board of Selectmen under the provisions of
Sec. 31, Chap. 44, General Laws.

Soldiers' Benefits :

State Aid	\$1,720.00
Military Aid	36.00

Total Expended	\$1,756.00
Balance to Treasury	244.00

Total	\$2,000.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931	2,000.00

Soldiers' Relief Payments	17,415.30	
Balance to Treasury	3,584.70	
Total		21,000.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931	15,000.00	
Appropriation, July 13, 1931	6,000.00	
Total		21,000.00
Old Age Assistance:		
Appropriation, March 2, 1931	1,000.00	
From Reserve Fund, Nov. 13, 1931	1,155.00	
From Reserve Fund, Dec. 10, 1931	2,955.00	
Refund—individual	15.00	
Total		5,125.00
Payments in 1931	5,099.71	
Balance to Treasury	25.29	
Total		5,125.00
SCHOOLS		
Administrative Salaries:		
Parker T. Pearson, Superintendent		\$5,749.02
Other General Salaries:		
Helen G. Tonry, Secretary	\$2,000.00	
Myrtle L. Rice	225.00	
Truant Officers, etc.	91.28	2,316.28
Other General Expense:		
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	816.32	
P. T. Pearson, conveyance	504.00	
School Census	180.00	
Miscellaneous	171.40	1,671.72
Teachers' Salaries:		
Special	23,692.08	
High School	77,749.80	
Elementary Schools	161,057.86	262,499.74
Text Books and Supplies:		
Edward E. Babb & Co.	3,716.55	
Milton, Bradley & Co.	1,531.23	
World Book Co.	1,418.14	
Ginn & Co.	1,131.39	
A. P. W. Paper Co.	760.00	
Remington Rand Bus. Service	739.60	
Keystone View Co.	657.68	
The John C. Winston Co.	607.59	
American Book Co.	593.30	
A. B. Dick Co.	562.38	
The MacMillan Co.	464.83	
D. C. Heath & Co.	437.28	
W. F. Quarrie Co.	431.50	

Royal Typewriter Co.	420.00	
J. L. Hammett Co.	412.96	
Monarch Laundry	392.56	
Allyn & Bacon	353.30	
Library Book House	265.65	
Little, Brown & Co.	264.51	
F. J. Barnard & Co., Inc.	236.11	
Benj. H. Sanborn & Co.	212.65	
Arlo Publishing Co.	211.07	
Miscellaneous items	3,325.34	19,145.62
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Tuition :		
City of Boston	363.36	
City of Quincy	225.00	588.36
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Transportation :		
E. Mass. St. Ry. Co.	15,793.00	
Amer. Agri. Chem. Co.	600.00	
Hollis Auto Co.	434.40	
George W. Ecker	434.40	17,261.80
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Support of Truants :		
Union Training School		\$94.29
Janitor Service :		
High School	\$8,355.15	
Elementary Schools	20,369.06	28,724.21
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Fuel :		
High School	5,034.28	
Elementary Schools	7,587.39	12,621.67
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Light :		
High School	862.08	
Elementary Schools	1,634.94	2,497.02
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Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds :		
High School	20,497.06	
Elementary Schools	19,362.59	
General	1,756.99	41,616.64
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Other Expenses :		
Printing, diplomas, etc.	582.53	
Physicians	395.00	977.53
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Evening Schools :		
Instructors	647.14	
Janitors	88.00	
Supplies, etc.	115.09	850.23
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Day Household Arts School:		
Instructors	3,983.25	
Equipment and Supplies	364.90	4,348.15
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Day Industrial Arts School:		
Instructors	17,598.95	
Equipment and Supplies	6,826.59	24,425.54
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Shoemaking School:		
Instructors	4,603.37	
Equipment and Supplies	223.80	4,827.17
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Total expended		430,215.89
Balance to Treasury		484.11
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Total		430,700.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		430,700.00
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Smith-Hughes Fund for Vocational Schools:		
Received from State Treasurer		2,289.27
Paid Instructor		2,289.27
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George Reed Fund for Vocational Schools:		
Received from State Treasurer		29.42
Paid Instructor		28.12
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Balance to 1932 account		1.30
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Bicknell Schoolhouse Addition:		
Balance from 1930 account		25,356.52
Dacey & Tibbetts, contractor	\$14,365.00	
T. A. Ridder Co., Inc., contractor	3,285.00	
A. C. Trojano	2,763.92	
F. J. Fay	928.45	
Connor Electric Corp.	926.30	
H. B. S. Prescott, architect	800.00	
Labor—payrolls	743.13	
Edward T. Dwyer	682.50	
Charles H. Burkett	328.80	
Russell H. Whiting	261.91	
Granite City Electric Co.	229.18	
Old Colony Gas Co.	24.33	
The Holtzer-Cabot Elec. Co.	18.00	
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Total expended		25,356.52
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Purchase "Stetson-Hunt" Property:		
Balance from 1930 (unexpended)		2,000.00
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Legion Memorial Field:		
Balance from 1930 account	881.80	
Appropriation, March 2, 1931	4,000.00	
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Total		4,881.80

Expended:		
Labor—payrolls	486.82	
F. E. Lunt	2,942.11	
F. J. Fay	1,112.00	
Thomas J. Gray Co.	135.00	
Ernst Herman	75.00	
Amer. Agri. Chem. Co.	72.75	
Russell H. Whiting	58.12	
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Total		4,881.80
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Land, etc.—for School Purposes:		
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		4,500.00
Expended:		
Trustees William Whitman Trust	3,000.00	
Russell H. Whiting, survey	74.70	3,074.70
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Balance to 1932 account		1,425.30
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Lunch Room Construction—High School:		
Labor—payrolls	\$1,276.60	
Clark & Smith, Inc.	11,770.78	
Howard B. S. Prescott	720.00	
M. R. Loud & Co.	366.30	
E. N. Fisher	305.00	
Granite City Electric Co.	297.68	
Charles H. Burkett	218.76	
Weymouth Water Department	44.88	
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Total expended		\$15,000.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		15,000.00
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Libraries:		
Tufts Library:		
Salaries and Wages	9,109.17	
Books and Periodicals, etc.	3,875.98	
Binding Books	850.55	
Fuel	577.00	
Light	347.94	
Maintenance of Building	1,607.49	
Other Expense	755.33	
Transportation of books	373.25	
Insurance	14.45	
North Weymouth Branch	2,073.55	
East Weymouth Branch	3,256.46	
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Total expended	22,841.17	
Balance to Treasury	.96	
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Total		22,842.13

Appropriation, March 2, 1931	21,505.00	
Income from funds	1,337.13	
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Total		22,842.13
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For a more detailed statement of expenditures for libraries see the report of the accountant incorporated in the report of the Trustees of Tufts Library.

Fogg Library Reading Room:

Trustees of Fogg Library:

Librarian	762.48	
Janitor	237.84	
Fuel	356.88	
Light	142.80	
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Total		1,500.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		1,500.00
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Parks and Playgrounds:

Beals Park:

Hiram Nadell	\$517.02	
Weymouth Asphalt Concrete Co., Inc.	235.00	
F. E. Lunt	97.20	
Weymouth Light & Power Co.	30.00	
H. A. Abbott	19.99	
J. H. Murray Hardware Co.	16.20	
A. J. Boudreau	11.40	
Henry C. Alarie	11.10	
Miscellaneous	19.87	
From Beals Park Fund Income a/c:		
Weymouth Asphalt Concrete Co., Inc.	377.00	\$1,334.78
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Rufus O. Clark Park:

Hiram Nadell	15.00	
Horace Walker, care	14.40	29.40
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Great Hill Park:

Horace Walker, care	646.80	
Hiram Nadell	607.63	
F. E. Lunt	300.40	
John Hunt	285.71	
Ronald Torrey	274.29	
E. R. Burt	90.00	
Rhines Lumber Co.	76.49	
American Flag Pole Co.	67.78	
Henry C. Alarie	42.60	
H. A. Abbott	29.08	
R. H. Whiting	23.95	
Charles W. Burgess	23.50	
L. H. Culley	20.00	
Miscellaneous items	18.35	2,506.58
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Weymouth Heights Green:

Richard J. Smith		46.80
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Jackson Square Plot:

Arthur L. Blanchard	25.00	
Weymouth Water Department	20.40	
J. H. Murray Hardware Co.	10.00	55.40

Lake Street Playground:

Edward Hughes	67.81	
David O. Hughes	40.25	
Bowdoin B. Smith	30.20	
Winer's Hardware Co.	15.80	
J. H. Murray Hardware Co.	6.50	
Rhines Lumber Co.	6.17	166.73

Webb Park:

J. H. Murray Hardware Co.		8.50
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Weston Park:

Weymouth Street Department	789.85	
Weymouth Light & Power Co.	489.60	
Amos L. Johnson	325.00	
A. C. Trojano	300.00	
Weymouth Asphalt Concrete Co., Inc.	275.00	
Cornelius White	250.00	
William Chase	74.50	
Bellingham Hardware Co.	57.36	
Henry C. Pratt	57.30	
Peter Fowler	37.50	
Eugene O'Connor	37.50	
Joseph Kelley	27.70	
W. A. Snow Iron Works	22.00	
R. H. Whiting	21.13	
Seesaw Swing Co.	17.50	
Miscellaneous items	55.78	\$2,837.92

Lovell's Corner Playground:

David O. Hughes	383.32	
Edward Hughes	202.50	
Bowdoin B. Smith	163.43	
James W. Brine Co.	71.33	
Weymouth Light & Power Co.	41.90	
Howard V. Pratt	39.00	
R. A. Fife Corp.	31.93	
Winer's Hardware Stores	24.12	
Herbert T. MacFawn	16.00	
Miscellaneous items	45.16	1,018.69

Leary & Bauer Meadows:

Oscar Hocq	330.00	
R. H. Whiting	15.54	
Bowdoin B. Smith	9.38	
David O. Hughes	5.31	
Rhines Lumber Co.	2.66	
M. R. Loud & Co.	1.66	364.55

Stetson Field:

David O. Hughes	10.25	
R. A. Fife Corp.	4.00	14.25

Bayley Green:

Edmund W. Chandler	25.00	
Charles L. Merritt	10.00	
M. R. Loud & Co.	2.60	
David O. Hughes	1.88	
Alvin Hollis & Co.	1.30	40.78

Pond Plain Playground:

W. A. Snow Iron Works	591.00	
Rhines Lumber Co.	156.70	
Bowdoin B. Smith	112.65	
David O. Hughes	19.55	
Winer's Hardware Stores	17.01	
J. W. Brine Co.	9.00	
Miscellaneous items	25.24	931.15

Supervised Play:

Instructors	\$1,515.00	
Equipment and supplies	217.45	\$1,732.45

Total expended		\$11,087.98
Balance to Treasury		4.02

Total		11,092.00
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Appropriation, March 2, 1931	10,715.00	
From Beals Park Fund	377.00	

Total		11,092.00
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Right of Way—"Torrey" Meadow:

Balance from 1930 (unexpended)		2.00
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Golf Course Committee:

Frederic G. Bauer, legal services	925.00	
C. P. Reidy, testifying, etc.	120.00	
Theron L. Tirrell, testifying, etc.	100.00	
Fred L. Alden, testifying, etc.	95.00	
Horace M. Randall, testifying, etc.	75.00	
Stiles & Van Kleck	400.00	
F. H. & P. H. Burt	350.49	

F. G. Bauer, witness fees, transportation, etc.	93.00	
Pray & Kelley	67.00	
R. H. Whiting	26.03	
John F. Dwyer, expenses	10.50	
Adamo D'Ambrosia	7.00	
B. L. Makepeace, Inc.	6.88	
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Total expended	2,275.90	
Balance to 1932 account	173.40	
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Total		2,449.30
Balance from 1930 account	1,840.30	
From Reserve Fund, Nov. 13, 1931	609.00	
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Total		2,449.30
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Observance Memorial Day:		
M. P. Ford	208.25	
American Legion Band	180.00	
Masten & Wells, flags	86.50	
J. F. Otis & Co.	52.23	
Wessagussett Post	50.85	
Norman S. P. Cann	40.00	
Mattie Donnadio	31.90	
W. B. Dasha	30.00	
Hollis Auto Co.	20.00	
Monument Mills	18.40	
H. P. Hood & Sons	15.60	
Guay's System Bakeries	12.00	
American Legion	10.80	
Gazette Publishing Co.	7.90	
Agnes McCaffrey	6.00	
F. N. Pratt	3.00	
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Total expended	773.43	
Balance to Treasury	126.57	
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Total		\$900.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		900.00
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John B. Rhines Fund:		
Balance from 1930		\$1.20
Returned to fund in 1931		1.20
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Headquarters, V. F. W.:		
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		600.00
Balance to Treasury		600.00
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Headquarters, American Legion:		
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		600.00
Balance to Treasury		600.00
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Committee on Town Forest:

Balance from 1930 account (unexpended)	500.00
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Pensions (Sec. 85, Chap. 32, G. L.)

Appropriation, March 2, 1931	912.50
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Paid Thomas Fitzgerald	912.50
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Discharging Encumbrances:

Appropriation, March 2, 1931	1.00
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Balance to Treasury	1.00
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Water Storage Tank (Edison Plant):

Labor—payrolls	\$2,637.36
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Superintendence	284.24
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Tibbett & Wood, contractors	17,482.50
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Clark & Smith, contractors	4,874.69
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Warren Pipe Co.	2,303.10
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Ludlow Valve Mfg. Co.	615.91
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Weymouth Water Department	466.26
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Ross Valve Mfg. Co.	293.55
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Brayton-Wilson-Cole Corp.	280.00
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Lumsden & Van Stone Co.	146.93
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Rhines Lumber Co.	126.42
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Builders Iron Foundry	115.23
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Braintree Water Works	90.72
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Fred A. Houdlette & Son	70.00
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J. R. Worcester & Co.	65.00
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Russell H. Whiting	45.53
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Buff & Buff Mfg. Co.	40.00
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E. L. LeBaron Foundry Co.	35.40
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F. E. Lunt	22.75
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N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co.	20.06
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A. M. Morton & Co.	18.79
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Mathewson Machine Works	3.48
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Total Expended	30,037.92
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Balance to 1932 account	14,962.08
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Total	45,000.00
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Appropriation, July 13, 1931	45,000.00
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Booths, etc.—Ward Two:

John Dolan	\$44.35
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Rhines Lumber Co.	31.77
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Total Expended	76.12
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Balance to Treasury	23.88
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Total	\$100.00
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Appropriation, March 2, 1931	100.00
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Abatement of Oil Nuisance:

Anthony S. Veader	792.56
Patrick F. Manning	165.00
Lester H. Culley	160.00
Carl H. Vackert	42.09
B. L. Makepeace, Inc.	8.96
Joseph D'Ambrosia	4.00
Adamo D'Ambrosia	3.50
Charles H. Bradley	1.88

Total expended	1,177.99
Balance to 1932 account	822.01

Total	2,000.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931	2,000.00

Fire Insurance:

R. S. Hoffman & Co.	2,145.61
Balance to Treasury	8.25

Total	2,153.86
Appropriation, March 2, 1931	1,800.00
From Reserve Fund, July 7, 1931	353.86

Total	2,153.86
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Miscellaneous Expenses:

Gazette Publishing Co., town reports	1,685.36
Delivering Town Reports	170.50
Inspector of Animals	150.00
Purchase tax titles ,etc.	5,734.05

Remittance Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes:

1930 account	124.89
1931 account	647.98

Total Expended	8,512.78
Balance to Treasury	179.14

Total	8,691.92
Appropriation, March 2, 1931	2,185.00
From General Revenue	6,506.92

Total	8,691.92
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Unpaid Bills:

Assessors	\$207.20
Fire Department	28.25
Health Department	430.66
Street Department	2,453.98
Charities	50.00
Memorial Day Committee	10.00
Tercentenary Committee	62.25

Total	\$3,242.34
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Appropriation, March 2, 1931	3,116.34	
Appropriation, July 13, 1931	126.00	
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Total		3,242.34
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Care of Soldiers' Graves:		
Karl L. O'Neil, salary	200.00	
Karl L. O'Neil, expenses	44.68	
Mt. Hope Cemetery Association, care of lots	126.00	
Highland Cemetery, care of lots	100.00	
Village Cemetery Association, care of lots	100.00	
No. Weymouth Cemetery Asso. care of lots	100.00	
Fairmount Cemetery Association, care of lots	96.00	
Lakeview Cemetery Association, care of lots	96.00	
Edward C. Mitchell, Trustee, care of lots	80.00	
Elmwood Cemetery Association, care of lots	40.00	
Miscellaneous items	16.15	
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Total expended	998.83	
Balance to Treasury	1.17	
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Total		1,000.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		1,000.00
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Care of Old Cemeteries:		
Labor—payrolls	1,367.45	
Truck hire and loam	123.50	
Miscellaneous items	9.05	
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Total		1,500.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		1,500.00
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Survey of Cemeteries:		
Russell H. Whiting	197.91	
Balance to 1932 account	302.09	
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Total		500.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		500.00
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Municipal Buildings Insurance Fund:		
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		5,000.00
Weymouth Trust Co., Savings Dept.	1,250.00	
South Weymouth Savings Bank	1,250.00	
Weymouth Savings Bank	1,250.00	
East Weymouth Savings Bank	1,250.00	
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Total		5,000.00
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Reserve Fund:

Appropriation, March 2, 1931		\$25,000.00
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Transferred to appropriation accounts as follows:		
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April 14, 1931		
Fire Department	\$515.00	

April 23, 1931		
Town Clerk	37.50	
Elections and Registrations	769.54	

July 7, 1931		
Town Treasurer	195.00	
Fire Insurance	353.86	

August 25, 1931		
Town Treasurer	195.00	
Soldiers' Monuments	75.00	
Fire Department	300.00	

September 16, 1931		
Highways	2,500.00	

October 22, 1931		
Public Work Account	2,500.00	

November 13, 1931		
Legal Department	1,100.00	
Public Work Account	3,000.00	
Old Age Assistance	1,155.00	
Golf Course Committee	609.00	

November 20, 1931		
Maintenance Town Hall	335.00	

December 10, 1931		
Legal Department	725.00	
Old Age Assistance	2,955.00	

Total transferred	16,869.90	
Balance to Treasury	8,130.10	

Total		<u>\$25,000.00</u>
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Alewife Fishery:

Thomas O'Toole, Supt.	100.00
Thomas M. O'Toole, truck	96.00
Patrick Hyland	125.00
Henry O'Toole	65.00
Thomas Harrington	25.00
T. J. Kelly	20.20
Jack Yourell	20.00
Anthony Russo	15.00
Crystal Sand & Gravel Co.	14.88
C. R. Denbroeder	12.60
Weymouth Concrete Block Co.	6.00

Total expended	<u>499.68</u>
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Balance to Treasury	.32	
Total		500.00
Appropriation, March 2, 1931		500.00
Interest and Discount:	•	
Int., Bonds Nevin Schoolhouse	\$520.00	
Int., Bonds High School Addition, 1923	6,481.25	
Int., Bonds New Town Infirmary	1,062.50	
Int., Notes Bicknell Schoolhouse	2,975.00	
Int., Notes Washington Square Widening	720.00	
Int., Notes Great Hill Park	1,080.00	
Int., Notes Pratt Schoolhouse Addition	1,800.00	
Int., Bonds High School Addition, 1927	8,287.50	
Int., Notes Pond Plain Schoolhouse	2,295.00	
Int., Notes Ward Three Fire Station	675.00	
Int., Bonds Hunt Schoolhouse Addition	6,975.00	
Int., Notes Police Signal System	420.00	
Int., Bonds Ward Two Fire Station	1,900.00	
Int., Bonds Bicknell Schoolhouse Addition	4,680.00	
Discount on Notes for \$900,000.00 given in Anticipation of Revenue	11,702.17	
Total	51,573.42	
Balance to Treasury	10,462.20	
Total		\$62,035.62
Appropriation, March 2, 1931	62,000.00	
Accrued interest on loans	35.62	
Total		\$62,035.62
Note and Bond Retirement:		
Appropriation, March 2, 1931	81,858.00	
Balance from 1930 account	2,142.00	
Total		84,000.00
Expended:		
Debt maturing June 1, 1931	2,000.00	
Debt maturing July 1, 1931	42,000.00	
Debt maturing Aug. 1, 1931	16,000.00	
Debt maturing Oct. 1, 1931	3,000.00	
Debt maturing Nov. 1, 1931	21,000.00	
Total		84,000.00
Notes Payable in Anticipation of Revenue:		
Balance from 1930 account	600,000.00	
Total appropriation in 1931	900,000.00	
Total		1,500,000.00
Total payments in 1931		1,200,000.00
Balance to 1932 account		300,000.00

State and County Liabilities :

State Tax	\$43,050.00	
Metropolitan Planning Division	151.87	
Metropolitan Parks Tax:		
For Sinking Fund	810.15	
For interest	5,530.41	
For Maintenance	18,094.47	
For Serial Bonds	3,727.33	
Nantasket:		
For Maintenance	1,002.24	
Wellington Bridge:		
For Maintenance	61.43	
Charles River Basin Tax:		
For Interest	1,230.35	
For Maintenance	4,228.75	
For Serial Bonds	113.53	
Auditing Municipal Accounts	2,166.42	
Penalty for making returns	6.00	
Repairs of State Highways	2,676.50	
Veterans Exemptions	19.38	
Southern Traffic Artery	18.18	
Abatement of Smoke Nuisance	736.80	
Ways in Braintree, Weymouth and Hingham	477.77	
Ways in Braintree, Weymouth and Hingham	20,477.72	
Home care for Veterans, etc.	240.00	
Broadway-Revere Beach Parkway Crossing	351.74	
Canterbury Street Highway	22.77	
West Roxbury-Brookline Parkway	51.89	
South Metropolitan Sewerage Assessment:		
For Entrance fee—one-tenth	18,243.43	
For Sinking Fund	6,606.05	
For Serial Bonds	3,584.60	
For Interest	11,696.50	
Old Age Assistance Assessment	6,555.00	
County of Norfolk-Assessment	52,424.48	
Total		\$204,355.76
Appropriation in Tax Levy	157,644.80	
Special Levy for Old Age Assistance	6,555.00	
From General Revenue	25.38	
Total		\$164,225.18
Expended in excess		\$40,130.58
Abatement and Remittance of Taxes:		
Appropriation for Abatements and Remittances:		
Balance from 1930	\$26,034.64	
Overlay of 1931	14,155.97	
Total		\$40,190.61

Abatement of 1929 taxes	2,491.09	
Abatement of 1930 taxes	7,163.83	
Abatement of 1931 taxes	3,439.64	
Remittance of 1929 taxes	681.71	
Remittance of 1930 taxes	288.07	
Remittance of 1931 taxes	29.10	
Transfer to Overlay Reserve Fund: 1929 account	3,390.96	
Total		<u>\$17,484.40</u>
- Balance to 1932 account		<u><u>\$22,706.21</u></u>

SUMMARY

Total expended for the year		\$2,893,817.89
Less items transferred (not cash):		
Abatements	13,094.56	
Overlay Reserve Fund	3,390.96	
Police Signal System	830.00	
Street Department—Specials	7,500.69	
Reserve Fund	16,869.90	
Total		<u>\$41,686.11</u>
Balance		\$2,852,131.78
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1931		157,861.62
Total		<u><u>\$3,009,993.40</u></u>

RECAPITULATION AND ESTIMATES

Balances January 1 1931	Appro- pria- tions	Receipts and Transfers	Totals	Appropriation Account	1931 Expendi- tures	Balances Dec. 31 1931	Estimates for 1932
GENERAL GOVERNMENT							
160.89	600.00	327.00	600.00	Appropriation Committee	600.00	408.76	600.00
			487.89	Town Hall-War Memorial Comm.	79.13	927.82*	9,700.00
	9,563.90		9,563.90	Selectmen	8,636.08	6.82*	6,000.00
	6,000.00	550.00	6,550.00	Town Accountant	6,543.18		2,794.50
	2,467.70	390.00	2,857.70	Town Treasurer	2,708.46	149.24*	8,690.00
	8,011.72		8,011.72	Collector	8,011.72		11,040.00
8.00	10,470.00		10,470.00	Assessors	9,917.14	552.86*	7,025.00
	6,150.00	1,815.83	7,973.83	Legal Department	7,540.21	433.62*	4,330.00
	4,060.00	37.50	4,097.50	Town Clerk	3,903.70	193.80*	4,436.00
	1,954.00	769.54	2,723.54	Elections & Registrations	2,580.25	143.29*	5,025.00
	5,825.00		5,825.00	Engineering Department	5,453.71	371.29*	500.00
	500.00		500.00	Planning Board	218.66	281.34*	11,710.00
	8,525.00	335.00	8,860.00	Maintenance Town Hall	8,730.05	129.95*	1,100.00
	200.00	75.00	275.00	Soldiers' Monuments, etc.	261.00	14.00*	70,558.00
173.03	72,510.00	1,645.00	72,510.00	Police Department	71,100.17	1,409.83*	72,867.33
	64,290.78		66,108.81	Fire Department	66,103.86	4.95*	16,500.00
	16,500.00		16,500.00	Hydrant Service	16,500.00		
66.66			66.66	Comm. Ward Two Fire Station	27.00	39.66	
10,875.42			10,875.42	Ward Two Fire Station	10,865.98	9.44	
6,325.00			6,325.00	New Fire Alarm Circuit	6,325.00		
	5,200.00		5,200.00	New Squad Truck	5,200.00		
	3,250.00		3,250.00	Building Inspector	3,200.00		
	1,600.00		1,600.00	Sealer's Department	1,582.20	50.00*	3,165.00
	8,320.00		8,320.00	Moth Department	7,928.44	17.80*	1,600.00
	2,200.00		2,200.00	Tree Department	2,183.13	391.56*	7,030.00
						16.87*	2,580.00

HEALTH AND SANITATION

10,800.00	10,800.00	Board of Health	10,703.07	96.93*	12,275.00
2,000.00	2,000.00	Nurses	2,000.00		2,000.00
10,810.95	10,810.95	Norfolk County Hospital	10,810.95		11,875.00
156.44	156.44	Sewerage System Committee	26.45	129.99*	
11,000.00	11,000.00	Garbage Disposal	10,840.12	159.88*	11,000.00

HIGHWAYS

130,500.00	140,230.69	Street Repairs, etc.	139,492.87	737.82*	123,365.00
25,000.00	25,250.00	Permanent Construction	25,243.25	6.75*	
21,250.00	21,250.00	Permanent Sidewalks	21,250.00		
1,274.01	1,274.01	Relocating Street Corners	246.91	1,027.10	
100.00	100.00	Widening Bridge Street	520.00	391.00	
911.00	911.00	Easement—Oakcrest Road		100.00	
1.00	1.00	Rt. of Way—Bicknell Meadow		1.00	
316.83	316.83	Resurfacing Wessagussett Road	316.83		
1,180.00	1,180.00	Plot—Front & Main Streets	1,140.91	39.09*	
250.00	250.00	Working Putnam Street		250.00	
14,258.00	14,258.00	Working New Streets—1931	14,210.30	47.70*	
870.00	870.00	Relocating Street Corners—1931	688.07	181.93*	
8,500.00	8,520.00	Sea Wall—Fore River Avenue	8,517.90	2.10*	
	20.00	Sidewalk—Tufts Fund	449.56		
	449.56	Private Work	3,022.00	792.38	
1,000.00	3,814.38	Public Work to Relieve Charity	38,483.04	23.29*	32,000.00
33,000.00	38,506.33	Harbor Master	262.63	12.37*	275.00
275.00	275.00	Street Lighting	37,238.74	750.26*	39,244.00
37,989.00	37,989.00				

CHARITIES

131,870.00	131,870.00	Support of the Poor	139,973.07	8,103.07‡	140,280.00
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SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

2,000.00	2,000.00	State Aid, Military Aid, etc.	1,756.00	244.00*	2,000.00
21,000.00	21,000.00	Soldiers' Relief	17,415.30	3,584.70*	18,000.00

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

1,000.00	4,125.00	5,125.00	Old Age Assistance	5,099.71	25.29*	32,000.00
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EDUCATION

430,700.00	430,700.00	Support of Schools	430,215.89	484.11*	445,900.00
	2,289.27	Smith-Hughes Fund	2,289.27		
	29.42	George Reed Fund	28.12	1.30	
25,356.52	25,356.52	Bicknell Schoolhouse Addition	25,356.52		
2,000.00	2,000.00	Stetson-Hunt Property		2,000.00	
4,881.80	4,881.80	Legion Memorial Field	4,881.80		
4,500.00	4,500.00	Land, etc. for School Purposes	3,074.70	1,425.30	
15,000.00	15,000.00	Lunch Room—High School	15,000.00		

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LIBRARIES

21,505.00	1,337.13	22,842.13	Tufts Library and Branches	22,841.17	.96*	21,378.00
1,500.00		1,500.00	Fogg Library Reading Room	1,500.00		1,500.00

RECREATION

10,715.00	377.00	11,092.00	Parks & Playgrounds	11,087.98	4.02*	9,075.00
		2.00	Rt. of Way—"Torrey" Meadow		2.00	
2.00	609.00	2,449.30	Golf Course Committee	2,275.90	173.40	
1,840.30						

UNCLASSIFIED

900.00		900.00	Observance Memorial Day	773.43	126.57*	900.00
		1.20	John B. Rhines Fund	1.20		
600.00		600.00	Headquarters, V. F. W.		600.00*	

500.00	600.00	Headquarters, Am. Legion	600.00	912.50	600.00*
	912.50	Comm. on Town Forest	500.00		500.00
	1.00	Pensions	912.50		
45,000.00	1.00	Discharging Encumbrances	1.00		1.00*
100.00	45,000.00	Water Storage Tank	30,037.92	14,962.08	
2,000.00	100.00	Booths, etc.—Ward Two	76.12	23.88*	
1,800.00	2,000.00	Abatement Oil Nuisance	1,177.99	822.01	
2,185.00	353.86	Fire Insurance	2,145.61	8.25*	
3,242.34	6.506.92	Miscellaneous Expenses	8,512.78	179.14*	2,500.00
1,000.00	3,242.34	Unpaid Bills	3,242.34		
1,500.00	1,000.00	Care Soldiers' Graves	998.83	1.17*	1,454.00
500.00	1,500.00	Care Old Cemeteries	1,500.00		
5,000.00	500.00	Survey of Cemeteries	197.91	302.09	
25,000.00	5,000.00	Municipal Buildings Ins. Fund	5,000.00		322
	25,000.00	Reserve Fund	16,869.90	8,130.10*	25,000.00

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISE

500.00	Alewife Fishery	499.68	.32*	500.00
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INTEREST AND DEBT REQUIREMENTS

62,000.00	35.62	62,035.62	51,573.42	10,462.20*	62,000.00
81,858.00	900.000.00	1,584,000.00	1,284,000.00	300.000.00	104,000.00

AGENCY TRANSACTIONS

164,199.80	25.38	164,225.18	204,355.76	40,130.58†
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REFUNDS

6,563.76		6,563.76	Abatement Account, 1929	6,563.76
19,470.88		19,470.88	Abatement Account, 1930	12,018.98
	14,155.97	14,155.97	Abatement Account, 1931	10,687.23
<u>679,126.74</u>	<u>1,589,569.69</u>	<u>954,560.40</u>		<u>329,438.94</u>
		<u>3,223,256.83</u>		<u>1,348,261.83</u>
			Balances	377,672.59
			Overdrafts	48,233.65
				<u>329,438.94</u>

NOTE: Balances designated thus (*) transferred to the General Fund.
 Items designated thus (†) represent overdrafts.
 All other balances have been transferred to the 1932 accounts.

EMERSON R. DIZER
 Town Accountant.

REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY ACCOUNT

Land	\$330,175.00	Real and Personal Property	\$3,959,570.24
Buildings	2,200,445.00		
Personal	1,428,950.24		
	<u>\$3,959,570.24</u>		<u>\$3,959,570.24</u>

DEBT STATEMENT

	January 1, 1932	
Assessors' Valuation for the year 1929 Less Abatements to December 31, 1931	<u>\$ 43,150,135.00</u> 330,920.00	\$ 42,819,215.00
Assessors' Valuation of Motor Vehicles for 1929 Less Abatements to December 31, 1931	<u>\$ 2,241,102.00</u> 190,985.00	\$ 2,050,117.00
Assessors' Valuation for the year 1930 Less Abatements to December 31, 1931	<u>\$ 45,304,861.00</u> 381,735.00	\$ 44,923,126.00
Assessors' Valuation of Motor Vehicles for 1930 Less Abatements to December 31, 1931	<u>\$ 2,184,470.00</u> 191,265.00	1,993,205.00
Assessors' Valuation for the year 1931 Less Abatements to December 31, 1931	<u>\$ 46,461,630.00</u> 128,450.00	\$ 46,333,180.00
Assessors' Valuation of Motor Vehicles for 1931 Less Abatements to December 31, 1931	<u>\$ 1,916,908.00</u> 75,610.00	1,841,298.00
Gross net valuation for 3 years Average valuation 3 per cent		<u>48,174,478.00</u> <u>\$ 139,960,141.00</u> 46,653,380.33 <u>\$ 1,399,601.41</u>

Total debt of all kinds incurred and outstanding

\$ 1,347,500.00

Schoolhouses	\$ 789,000.00
Highways	15,000.00
Fire Stations	59,000.00
New Town Infirmary	24,000.00
Parks	18,000.00
Water Storage Tank	27,000.00
Water Bonds and Notes	115,500.00
Anticipation of Revenue Notes	300,000.00
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	\$ 1,347,500.00
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Less debts outside the debt limit :

Water Storage Tank	\$ 27,000.00
Water Bonds, Acts 1914, Chap. 353	13,000.00
Water Bonds, Acts 1913, Chap. 276	5,000.00
Water Notes, General Laws	97,500.00
Anticipation of Revenue Notes	300,000.00
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442,500.00

905,000.00

\$ 494,601.41

Balance of debt within debt limit

BORROWING CAPACITY AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1931

EMERSON R. DIZER
Town Accountant

PUBLIC PROPERTY ACCOUNT

Property	Street Location	Land Value	Value of Buildings	Value of Personal	Total
Town Hall	Middle	\$5,000.00	\$175,000.00	\$15,000.00	\$195,000.00
Police Department:					
Station 1	Athens	100.00	2,600.00	100.00	2,800.00
Station 2	Pleasant	1,000.00	14,650.00	2,000.00	17,650.00
Garage	Pleasant		1,350.00	4,000.00	5,350.00
Police Signal System				25,000.00	25,000.00
Police Traffic Signals				5,300.00	5,300.00
Fire Department:					
Fire Station 1	Athens	400.00	8,250.00	13,882.85	22,532.85
Fire Station 2	Broad	3,000.00	56,000.00	26,079.34	85,079.34
Fire Station 3	Washington	800.00	37,000.00	28,971.76	66,771.76
Fire Station 5	Pleasant	725.00	9,300.00	24,138.71	34,163.71
Fire Alarm System				49,225.00	49,225.00
Sealer's Department				1,000.00	1,000.00
Spraying Machines, etc.				4,000.00	4,000.00
Highway Department:					
Headquarters	Commercial	1,000.00	14,600.00	45,240.70	60,840.70
Stone Crusher	Wharf			1,000.00	1,000.00
Welfare Department:					
Town Infirmary	Essex	6,700.00	34,000.00	2,775.32	43,475.32
Garage			600.00	144.50	744.50
Out Buildings			1,500.00	342.40	1,842.40
School Department:					
High School	Middle	12,000.00	635,000.00	45,000.00	692,000.00
High School	Middle	3,000.00			3,000.00
Industrial School Bldg.			35,000.00	5,000.00	40,000.00
Athens School	Athens	1,000.00	96,000.00	8,000.00	105,000.00

Bicknell School	Bridge	12,500.00	245,000.00	15,000.00	272,500.00
Adams School	Church	500.00	8,550.00	800.00	9,850.00
Jefferson School	Middle	1,300.00	29,800.00	3,000.00	34,100.00
Washington School	Commercial	2,000.00	34,500.00	3,000.00	39,500.00
James Humphrey School	Lake	3,000.00	79,700.00	8,000.00	90,700.00
New Hunt School	Broad	3,450.00	270,000.00	15,000.00	288,450.00
Lincoln School	Broad		10,300.00	800.00	11,100.00
Center Portable	Washington	450.00	4,500.00	800.00	5,750.00
Pratt School	Pleasant	1,200.00	88,000.00	9,000.00	98,200.00
Shaw School	Main	1,100.00	25,200.00	3,600.00	29,900.00
E. B. Nevin School	Main	4,000.00	80,000.00	1,200.00	85,200.00
Portable—Nevin	Main		3,000.00	800.00	3,800.00
Pond School—Old	Pond	300.00	4,695.00		4,995.00
Pond School—New	Pond	5,500.00	70,000.00	2,000.00	77,500.00

Libraries:

Tufts Library	Washington	2,600.00	70,950.00	40,000.00	113,550.00
North Weymouth Branch	Sea			2,000.00	2,000.00
East Weymouth Branch	Broad			1,500.00	1,500.00
Park Department:					
Weston Park	Washington	15,000.00			15,000.00
Great Hill Park	North	78,500.00			83,500.00
Beals Park	Sea	5,000.00	5,000.00		5,000.00
Webb Park	Summit	2,000.00			2,000.00
Lovells Corner Playground	Pleasant	500.00			500.00
Hawes Grove	Pleasant	600.00			600.00
Lake Street Playground	Lake	1,500.00			1,500.00
Bayley Green	Columbian	100.00			100.00
Lot of Land	Jackson Square	3,000.00			3,000.00
Rufus O. Clark Park	Wessagussett	200.00			200.00
Alewife Fishery	Commercial	1,000.00	500.00	25.00	1,525.00
Old Fire Station 2	Broad	500.00	9,300.00		9,800.00
Legion Memorial Field	Commercial	45,000.00			45,000.00

Lot of Land	North	100.00		100.00
Lot of Land	Essex	50.00		50.00
Lot of Land	Broad	200.00		200.00
Lot of Land	Jackson Square	200.00		200.00
Lot of Land	Front	100.00		100.00
Lot of Land	Gibbens	450.00		450.00
Lot of Land	Broad	200.00		200.00
Town Hall Lot	Pleasant	2,000.00		2,000.00
Island	Great Pond	100.00		100.00
Band Stands			1,000.00	1,000.00
Flag Staffs, etc.			625.00	625.00
Fences, Gates and Snow Fences			500.00	500.00
Water Department:				
Pumping Station and Shop	Hollis	550.00	14,500.00	25,050.00
Stock and Equipment				19,287.21
Storage Shed	Hollis		1,600.00	1,650.00
Stand Pipe	Reed Avenue	400.00	12,000.00	12,400.00
Tenement House	Near Great Pond	100,000.00	4,500.00	104,500.00
Pumping Unit			8,000.00	8,000.00
Land	Hollis	200.00		200.00
Land	Randolph	100.00		100.00
Water Mains, Pipes, etc.			984,762.45	984,762.45
		\$330,175.00	\$2,200.445.00	\$3,959,570.24
			\$1,428,950.24	

December 31, 1931

EMERSON R. DIZER, Town Accountant.

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

To the Citizens of the Town of Weymouth:

Following is my first annual report as your custodian of Town Funds:

RECEIPTS

For notes given in Anticipation of Revenue

February 24, due November 25, 1931 at 2.22% discount	\$100,000.00
March 28, due November 25, 1931 at 2.04% discount	100,000.00
April 21, due Dec. 18, 1931 at 2.03% discount, prem. \$1.00	100,000.00
May 25, due Dec. 18, 1931 at 1.86% discount, prem. \$1.25	200,000.00
June 26, due December 11, 1931 at 1.375% discount	100,000.00
July 31, due January 28, 1932 at 1.49% discount	100,000.00
September 24, due February 26, 1932 at 1.57% discount	100,000.00
October 29, due March 11, 1932 at 4.98% discount	100,000.00
Total in Anticipation of Revenue	\$900,000.00
December 12, due December 1, 1932 at 4.75%—Edison	
Standpipe Loan—interest to follow	27,000.00
Accrued interest on above loan	35.62
Premium on Notes in Anticipation of Revenue	2.25
School Department	6,474.29
Street Department	4,116.29
Licenses and Permits	2,602.21
Refund War Memorial	322.00
Refund Welfare	17,981.83
Refund Legal Department	440.83
State Treasurer	281,660.42
Building Inspector	670.00
Sealer's Fees	336.70
Tax Releases	519.00
Fire Department	108.00
Tree and Moth Department	28.50
Water Department—Accounting Department	550.00
Dedham Court Fines	86.50
East Norfolk District Court Fines	682.67
Tufts Library Fines	799.42
County Treasurer—Dog Tax Refund	2,467.43
Rent—Whitman Lot	112.50
Alewife Fishery	314.50
Board of Health	158.00
Quincy Tufts Shade Tree Fund	449.56
Income Trust Funds	1,337.13
Interest Weymouth Trust Company	1,305.66
Interest Atlantic National Bank	1,092.25
Miscellaneous	27.78

Taxes—1929	26,061.83
1929 Interest	1,945.50
Taxes—1930	293,970.89
1930 Interest	11,058.36
Taxes—1931	898,658.90
1931 Interest	561.32
Beals Park Fund	377.00
Taxes paid after being rebated	11.30
Total	<u>\$2,484,326.44</u>
Cash on hand January 1, 1931	525,666.96
	<u><u>\$3,009,993.40</u></u>

DISBURSEMENTS

Paid on Selectmen's Warrants for:	
Notes given in Anticipation of Revenue	\$1,200,000.00
Other Notes and Bonds	84,000.00
Sundry appropriations	1,568,131.78
Total	<u>\$2,852,131.78</u>
Cash on hand December 31, 1931	157,861.62
	<u><u>\$3,009.993.40</u></u>

ASSETS

Due from F. W. Holbrook, Collector Taxes 1930	\$ 34,499.29
Due from F. W. Holbrook, Collector Taxes 1931	292,394.18
Trust Funds	361,205.88
Accumulated Interest Trust Funds	111,263.93
Deposit Weymouth Trust Company	74,508.95
Deposit Atlantic National Bank	138,663.27
Cash on hand	100.00
Sundry Bills Receivable	64,472.31
	<u>\$1,077,107.81</u>
Less outstanding checks	55,410.60
Total Assets	<u><u>\$1,021,697.21</u></u>

LIABILITIES

BONDS AND NOTES

1932

January 28—Anticipation of Revenue	\$100,000.00
February 26—Anticipation of Revenue	100,000.00
March 11—Anticipation of Revenue	100,000.00
June 1—Engine House, Ward 3, 4 per cent	2,000.00
July 1—Edward B. Nevin Schoolhouse, 4 per cent	2,000.00
July 1—Bicknell Schoolhouse Addition, 4 per cent	6,000.00
July 1—Engine House, Ward 2, 4 per cent	5,000.00
July 1—High School Building, 4¼ per cent	13,000.00
July 1—Town Home, 4¼ per cent	2,000.00

July 1—Pond Plain Schoolhouse, $4\frac{1}{4}$ per cent	4,000.00
July 1—New Hunt Schoolhouse, 4 per cent	10,000.00
August 1—Great Hill Park, 4 per cent	9,000.00
October 1—Pratt Schoolhouse Addition, 4 per cent	3,000.00
November 1—Bicknell Schoolhouse, $4\frac{1}{4}$ per cent	5,000.00
November 1—Street Widening, Washington Sq., 4 per cent	3,000.00
November 1—High School Building Addition, $3\frac{3}{4}$ per cent	13,000.00
December 1—Edison Plant Water Supply Tank, $4\frac{3}{4}$ per cent	27,000.00
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	\$404,000.00

1933

June 1—Engine House, Ward 3, 4 per cent	\$2,000.00
July 1—Edward B. Nevin Schoolhouse, 4 per cent	2,000.00
July 1—Bicknell Schoolhouse Addition, 4 per cent	6,000.00
July 1—Engine House, Ward 2, 4 per cent	5,000.00
July 1—High School Building, $4\frac{1}{4}$ per cent	13,000.00
July 1—Town Home, $4\frac{1}{4}$ per cent	2,000.00
July 1—Pond Plain Schoolhouse, $4\frac{1}{4}$ per cent	4,000.00
July 1—New Hunt Schoolhouse, 4 per cent	10,000.00
August 1—Great Hill Park, 4 per cent	9,000.00
October 1—Pratt Schoolhouse Addition, 4 per cent	3,000.00
November 1—Bicknell Schoolhouse, $4\frac{1}{4}$ per cent	5,000.00
November 1—Street Widening, Washington Sq. 4 per cent	3,000.00
November 1—High School Building Addition, $3\frac{3}{4}$ per cent	13,000.00
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	\$77,000.00

1934-1950

June 1—Engine House, Ward 3, 1934-1938	\$10,000.00
July 1—Engine House, Ward 2, 1934-1940	35,000.00
July 1—Bicknell Schoolhouse Addition 1934-1950	102,000.00
July 1—Edward B. Nevin Schoolhouse, 1934-1937	8,000.00
July 1—High School Building, 1934-1941	120,000.00
July 1—Town Home, 1934-1943	20,000.00
July 1—Pond Plain Schoolhouse, 1934-1944	44,000.00
July 1—New Hunt Schoolhouse, 1934-1946	130,000.00
October 1—Pratt Schoolhouse Addition, 1934-1945	36,000.00
November 1—Bicknell Schoolhouse, 1934-1945	55,000.00
November 1—High School Building Addition, 1934-1947	182,000.00
November 1—Street Widening, Washington Sq., 1934-1936	9,000.00
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	\$751,000.00

TOTAL AMOUNT OF NOTES AND BONDS OUTSTANDING

Fire Station, Ward 2, 1932-1940	\$45,000.00
Fire Station, Ward 3, 1932-1938	14,000.00
Edward B. Nevin Schoolhouse, 1932-1937	12,000.00
Town Home, 1932-1943	24,000.00
High School Building, 1932-1943	146,000.00
Bicknell Schoolhouse, 1932-1944	65,000.00
High School Building Addition, 1932-1947	208,000.00
Bicknell Schoolhouse Addition, 1932-1950	114,000.00
Pond Plain Schoolhouse, 1932-1944	52,000.00
New Hunt Schoolhouse, 1932-1946	150,000.00

Pratt Schoolhouse Addition, 1932-1945	42,000.00
Street Widening, Washington Square, 1932-1936	15,000.00
Great Hill Park, 1932-1933	18,000.00
Edison Plant Water Supply Tank, 1932	27,000.00
Total debt except Anticipation of Revenue Notes	<u>\$932,000.00</u>
Anticipation of Revenue 1932	300,000.00
Total	<u>\$1,232,000.00</u>

TRUST FUNDS

Laban Pratt Hospital Bequest, July 22, 1925	\$300,000.00
Interest on Bank deposits to December 31, 1930	84,165.54
Total Fund January 1, 1931	<u>\$384,165.54</u>

INCOME 1931

East Weymouth Savings Bank, interest	\$4,854.75	
South Weymouth Savings Bank, interest	4,820.78	
Weymouth Trust Company, S. D. interest	4,379.15	
Weymouth Savings Bank, interest	<u>4,833.42</u>	
		18,888.10
Total Fund December 31, 1931		<u>\$403,053.64</u>

INVESTMENTS OF THIS FUND

Deposit in East Weymouth Savings Bank	\$100,751.49
Deposit in South Weymouth Savings Bank	100,046.50
Deposit in Weymouth Savings Bank	102,187.97
Deposit in Weymouth Trust Company, S. D.	100,067.68
Total Fund December 31, 1931	<u>\$403,053.64</u>

LABAN PRATT FUND

For care of Fountains—Bequest deposited in Weymouth Savings Bank	\$400.00
Income to December 31 1930	295.60
Total Fund in Weymouth Savings Bank January 1, 1931	<u>695.60</u>
Income received during 1931	34.52
Total Fund in Weymouth Savings Bank December 31, 1931	<u>\$730.12</u>

MUNICIPAL BUILDING INSURANCE FUND

Deposited in Banks May 8, 1930	\$10,000.00
Added by vote of Town in 1931	5,000.00
Interest received on this Fund to December 31, 1930	203.02
Interest received during 1931	501.46
Total Fund December 31, 1931	<u>\$15,704.48</u>

INVESTMENTS OF THIS FUND

Deposit in East Weymouth Savings Bank	\$3,931.26
Deposit in Weymouth Savings Bank	3,951.29
Deposit in South Weymouth Savings Bank	3,898.41
Deposit in Weymouth Trust Company, S. D.	3,923.52
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Total Fund December 31, 1931	\$15,704.48
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QUINCY TUFTS BEQUEST FOR FREE PUBLIC LECTURES

Deposited in Massachusetts Hospital Life Insurance Co.	\$5,000.00
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Income to December 31, 1930	\$4,000.54
Received interest from Mass. Hospital Life Insurance Co. in 1931	237.50
Received interest from Weymouth Savings Bank 1931	209.35
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Balance available in Interest Account in Weymouth Savings Bank December 31, 1931	\$4,447.39
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QUINCY TUFTS BEQUEST

For care of Tufts Tomb in North Weymouth Cemetery.	
Deposited in Massachusetts Hospital Life Insurance Co.	\$500.00
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Received interest on deposit 1931	\$23.75
Paid Treasurer North Weymouth Cemetery	23.75
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Total Fund December 31, 1931	\$500.00
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QUINCY TUFTS BEQUEST

For Sidewalks and Shade Trees.	
Deposited in Massachusetts Hospital Life Insurance Co.	\$2,000.00
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Income December 31, 1930 Weymouth Savings Bank	\$359.37
Interest, Mass. Hospital Life Insurance Co., 1931	95.00
Interest Weymouth Savings Bank 1931	22.13
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	\$476.50
Expended by the Town from this Fund in 1931	449.56
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Balance available in Interest Account December 31, 1931	26.94
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QUINCY TUFTS FUND FOR BENEFIT OF TUFTS LIBRARY

Quincy Tufts Bequest for maintenance of Reading Room.	
Deposit in Massachusetts Hospital Life Insurance Co.	\$2,500.00
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Received income from Fund 1931	\$118.75
Paid Town of Weymouth, Tufts Library Account 1931	118.75
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Total Fund December 31, 1931	\$2,500.00
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QUINCY TUFTS BEQUEST FOR BOOKS

Deposited in Massachusetts Hospital Life Insurance Co.		\$2,500.00
Received income from Fund 1931	\$118.75	
Paid Town of Weymouth, Tufts Library Account 1931	118.75	
		<u>118.75</u>
Total Fund December 31, 1931		<u>\$2,500.00</u>

JOHN C. RHINES FUND

Bequest March 10, 1924, Income for any public purpose		\$10,000.00
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INVESTMENTS

Deposit South Weymouth Savings Bank		\$2,500.00
Deposit Weymouth Savings Bank		5,000.00
Deposit Weymouth Trust Company, S. D.		2,500.00
		<u>2,500.00</u>
Total Fund December 31, 1931		<u>\$10,000.00</u>

JOHN C. RHINES FUND, INCOME ACCOUNT

Income received to January 1, 1931		\$2,078.64
Interest from Banks in 1931		585.01
		<u>585.01</u>
Balance in Weymouth Trust Company, S. D. December 31, 1931		<u>\$2,663.65</u>

ELIAS S. BEALS FUND

Income for care of Beals Park.		
Original Bequest		\$1,000.00
		<u>\$1,000.00</u>
Total Fund in South Weymouth Savings Bank January 1, 1931		\$1,346.56
Interest received on Bank Account in 1931		68.15
		<u>68.15</u>
		\$1,414.71
Expended by order of the Park Commissioners in 1931		377.00
		<u>377.00</u>
Balance in South Weymouth Savings Bank December 31, 1931		<u>\$1,037.71</u>

JOSEPH E. TRASK FUND

Total Fund January 1, 1931		\$12,805.88
		<u>\$12,805.88</u>
Received interest on investments 1931	\$614.22	
Paid Town of Weymouth income	614.22	
		<u>614.22</u>
Total Fund January 31, 1931		<u>\$12,805.88</u>

INVESTMENTS

Deposit in East Weymouth Savings Bank	\$2,000.00
Deposit in South Weymouth Savings Bank	4,100.00
Deposit in Weymouth Savings Bank	2,000.00
Deposit in Weymouth Trust Company, S. D.	4,705.88
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Total Fund December 31, 1931	\$12,805.88
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SUSAN HUNT STETSON FUND

Total Fund deposited in Weymouth Savings Bank January 1, 1931	\$2,500.00
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Received interest on deposit 1931	\$121.87
Paid Town of Weymouth account Tufts Library	121.87
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Total Fund on deposit in Weymouth Savings Bank December 31, 1931	\$2,500.00
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THE CHARLES Q. TIRRELL DONATION

Total Fund on deposit in Weymouth Savings Bank January 1, 1931	\$1,000.00
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Received interest on deposit 1931	\$48.75
Paid Town of Weymouth	48.75
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Total Fund on deposit in Weymouth Savings Bank December 31, 1931	\$1,000.00
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WALTER G. FORSYTH FUND

Total Fund deposited in Weymouth Savings Bank January 1, 1931	\$1,000.00
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Received interest on deposit 1931	48.75
Paid Town of Weymouth	48.75
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Total Fund on deposit in Weymouth Savings Bank December 31, 1931	\$1,000.00
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AUGUSTUS J. RICHARDS FUND

Total Fund January 1, 1931	\$5,000.00
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Received coupon interest on investments in 1931	\$20.00	
Received Bank interest in 1931	221.04	
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	241.04	
Paid Town of Weymouth	241.04	
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Total Fund December 31, 1931		<u>\$5,000.00</u>

INVESTMENTS

Deposit in South Weymouth Savings Bank	\$1,500.00	
Deposit in Weymouth Savings Bank	2,000.00	
Deposit in Weymouth Trust Company, S. D.	1,500.00	
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Total Fund December 31, 1931		<u>\$5,000.00</u>
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Total Trust Funds		\$361,205.88
Accumulated income on Trust Funds		111,263.93

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN R. SAMPSON

Treasurer of the Town of Weymouth.

REPORT OF TOWN COUNSEL

January 15, 1932

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I submit this, my sixth report as Town Counsel, covering the year just passed:

LITIGATION

The Town has continued to be singularly fortunate in its litigation. During the six years that I have been Town Counsel, I have, outside of eminent domain cases, tried only six cases in court for the Town, namely:

1. An action for the support of a poor family having a legal settlement elsewhere. This case had been tried on its merits and was on its way to the Full Bench of the Supreme Judicial Court before I became Town Counsel. My only participation in the case, therefore, was the preparation of the brief and argument before the Full Bench. The case resulted in a partial victory for the Town.

2. A criminal prosecution for deliberate violation of our Town building laws. This resulted in a conviction of the defendant on a plea of guilty and the fine which the Town received amounted to more than the total expenses of the case, besides establishing a valuable precedent in the enforcement of our building laws.

3. A criminal prosecution for obtaining poor relief by means of false statements. This also resulted in a conviction on pleas of guilty and the defendants not only reimbursed the Town for all poor relief, with 6% interest, but paid the expenses of the prosecution so that the proceedings cost the Town nothing.

4. A suit against the Town to recover a deposit made with the Water Department; both the Superior Court and the Full Bench of the Supreme Judicial Court decided in favor of the Town.

5. A petition for writ of certiorari against the Selectmen to overrule their action in granting a permit to the Standard Oil Company of New York for the storage of gasoline. This case has been argued before the Full Bench of the Supreme Judicial Court but no decision has as yet been handed down.

6. A bill in equity to reach and apply the money in the hands of the Town growing out of the contract for the East Weymouth Fire House. This case was heard in the Superior Court and the arrangements under which the Town was paying the money upheld so that the proceedings were dismissed so far as the Town was concerned.

In other words, out of the six cases tried, four have resulted in complete victories for the Town, one in a partial victory, and one is still pending.

EMINENT DOMAIN PROCEEDINGS.

In eminent domain proceedings the Town has also been unusually successful as will be shown by the following table covering the seven eminent domain cases which have actually been tried in court during the six years that I have been Town Counsel—an average of a little over one case per year.

Verdicts in eminent domain cases must by law include interest at 4% from the date of the taking, and in order to compare the actual values set by the jury with the values claimed, it is necessary to deduct this interest. In the last case cited the procedure was under the new Chapter 80A of the General Laws so no interest was involved. The "Amount Claimed" is the value as testified to either by the landowner or by some witness on his behalf.

Name of Case	Amount Claimed	Verdict	Verdict Excluding Interest	Amount Saved	Percentage of Claim Saved
Donovan	\$6,000	(2,713.91)	\$2,500	\$3,500	58 %
Sheehy	11,200	(9,570.00)	9,000	2,200	20 %
Conviser	26,000	(11,799.36)	11,038	14,962	57½%
Jewell	20,000	(3,000.00)	2,700	17,300	86½%
Norfolk Realty	6,900	(1,878.98)	1,800	5,100	74 %
Kane	10,000	(6,000.00)	5,710	4,290	43 %
{ Mathewson	9,310	(1,800.00)	1,800	7,510	80 %
{ Thompson	54,200	(20,800.00)	20,800	33,400	61 %
	<hr/> \$143,610		<hr/> \$55,348	<hr/> \$88,262	

In other words, in the seven cases involving eight different land owners, the total amounts claimed by or on behalf of the land owners were \$143,610. The total values fixed by the jury, or in one case by Commissioners, amount to \$55,348, a saving of \$88,262 or an average saving of 60% of the amount claimed. Of course, under the State Constitution the Town cannot take land without paying a fair value for it and in most of the cases the price was little in excess of the value fixed by the Town's own experts. Certainly, where an average saving of 60% is effected, the Town has reason to congratulate itself on the results.

STATUS OF CURRENT LITIGATION

The following cases which were pending at the time of my last report are still pending:

William H. Morrison v. H. Franklin Perry, et al, Supreme Judicial Court, No. 675. This case has been argued before the Supreme Judicial Court but no decision has yet been rendered.

Philip A. Rich, Jr. p.p.a. v. Inhabitants of Weymouth, Norfolk Superior Court, No. 23158. This is an action brought to recover for injuries alleged to have been caused by negligence of an employee of the Town.

Stella M. Costanzo v. Inhabitants of Weymouth, Norfolk Superior Court, No. 23281. This is a suit brought for an injury alleged to have been received by the plaintiff stepping into a depression on Broad Street.

City of Worcester v. Town of Weymouth, Worcester Superior Court, No. 44769. This is an action of contract to recover for the hospital bill of a poor person having alleged legal settlement in the Town of Weymouth.

Inhabitants of Weymouth v. Inhabitants of Braintree, Norfolk Superior Court, No. 22163. This is an action to recover for support of a family receiving poor relief who are alleged to have a legal settlement in Braintree.

Rose Fay v. Inhabitants of Weymouth, Norfolk Superior Court, No. 16469. This is an action of tort under the Highway Act for an alleged defect on Forest Street.

Alonzo B. Aldrich v. Inhabitants of Weymouth, Norfolk Superior Court, No. 17904. This is an action of tort under the Highway Act growing out of an alleged defect on Columbian Street.

William S. Youngman, State Treasurer v. Inhabitants of Weymouth, Suffolk Superior Court, No. 195659. This is an action for the support of an inmate of the Lakeview Sanitorium who was alleged to have settlement in Weymouth.

The following cases have been brought against the Town since my last report and are still pending:

Josephine L. Rogers v. Robert Crawford & Inhabitants of Weymouth, No. 23533 District Court of East Norfolk. This is a dispute between two land owners as to the rights in certain water pipes on land of one of the parties. The Town of Weymouth is only concerned in that it furnishes water through the pipes.

Beulah Freeman v. Inhabitants of Weymouth, No. 31255 District Court of East Norfolk. This is an action to recover for damages to an automobile alleged to have occurred when the car struck a stone.

Peter Healey v. Inhabitants of Weymouth, No. 25426 Norfolk Superior Court. This is an action of tort for alleged injuries received on Pond Street, South Weymouth.

Stark & Condon v. Weymouth, No. 24941 Norfolk Superior Court. This is a petition for damages for land on Great Pond.

The following cases have been brought by the Town and are still pending:

Inhabitants of Weymouth v. Inhabitants of Wellesley, No. 31439 District Court of East Norfolk.

Inhabitants of Weymouth v. City of Springfield, No. 25429 Norfolk Superior Court.

Both the above cases are for expenses incurred in connection with poor families having legal settlements in the defendant municipalities.

The following cases which were pending at the time of my last report have been disposed of:

Neil W. Hall v. Inhabitants of Weymouth, No. 16470 Norfolk Superior Court. This was an action of tort under the Highway Act for an alleged defect on Forest Street, which was dismissed for want of prosecution.

Smith & Lovett Co. v. J. J. Gallagher Construction Company et al, No. 37078 Eq. This was a bill in equity to reach and apply the money due from the Town on the Ward 2 Fire Engine House. After hearing, the bill was dismissed so far as the Town is concerned.

Percy S. Yerxa v. Inhabitants of Weymouth, No. 22570 Norfolk Superior Court. This was a petition for the assessment of damages for land taken in the vicinity of Great Pond and was settled for the sum of \$2,000.

Inhabitants of Weymouth v. 111.4 Acres of Land, Catherine H. Mathewson et al, respondents, No. 23249 Norfolk Superior Court. The case was tried before Commissioners and resulted in a substantial victory for the Town. Although the land owners appealed to a jury, they withdrew their appeal before the case was reached and as the matter now stands the value of the land has been definitely fixed so the Town knows to a cent how much it is going to cost them. So far as the litigation is concerned, the case is disposed of and it only remains for the Town to say whether it wishes to acquire the land for that price or not.

Selectmen of Weymouth, Petitioners v. Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway. The Public Utilities Commission declined to order the tracks on Broad Street taken up.

Philip J. Kane v. Inhabitants of Weymouth, No. 23674 Norfolk Superior Court. This was a petition for the assessment of damages for land taken in the vicinity of Great Pond. The trial resulted in a verdict of \$6,000, or approximately \$5,700, excluding interest.

The following cases have been brought against the Town since my last report and disposed of:

Frank W. Burbank v. Inhabitants of Weymouth, No. 24675 Norfolk Superior Court. This was a petition for damages for land taken in the vicinity of Great Pond, and was settled on payment of \$2,100.

In addition to the foregoing, there has been one prosecution for obtaining poor relief under false pretences, which case has been disposed of by the defendants pleading guilty and on their making complete restitution the judge place them on probation.

There has also been a proceeding before the Department of Public Utilities, to secure approval of regulations compelling the street railway to remove from the street snow which it casts out from its tracks. The Town was successful in having the Selectmen's regulations approved without substantial change.

SOUTH METROPOLITAN SEWERAGE SYSTEM

There seems to be a misunderstanding as to the legal status of the Town in reference to entry into the South Metropolitan Sewerage System. The original bill introduced in the Legislature by order of the Town Meeting provided for the creation of one or more sewerage districts, which would have enabled those portions of the Town which needed or wished sewerage to have it without burdening the other portions of the Town. The Act as it finally came from the Legislature was changed in many respects and had the provision for the sewerage districts left out. This was not at all the legislation for which the Town Meeting had asked and whether or not the Town should accept it was a matter requiring serious consideration, and directly affected every taxpayer.

After the action of the last annual Town Meeting, which voted to accept the Act by a vote of 122 to 24, the Selectmen asked my advice as to whether a referendum could be had or not. My advice to the Selectmen was that a referendum should be called if petitioned for by the required number of voters under the provisions of our Limited Town Meeting Act. I reminded the Selectmen that they were elected by and responsible to the entire body of citizens of Weymouth; that this was a matter in which all the voters had an interest, and that to refuse to permit the voters to express their opinion would be a very delicate position for elective officials to take; that I accordingly believed they should call the referendum because if the voters upheld the Town Meeting in the acceptance of the Act, the question would be a moot one anyway and no one could say that the voters had not had a chance to express their opinion. If, on the other hand, the referendum resulted differently from the action of the Town Meeting, it would then be a matter to be settled by litigation in the Supreme Judicial Court or would be the subject for subsequent legislation. When it was known that State officials treated Weymouth as having accepted the Act, the Selectmen instructed me to commence appropriate litigation in the Supreme Judicial Court to have the matter determined.

At the present time the situation is further complicated by the fact that by Chapter 426 of the Acts of 1931, approved June 9, 1931, entitled "An Act eliminating obsolete provisions from the General Laws and making certain further corrections and adjustments therein," the Legislature in amending Section 1 of Chapter 92 of the General Laws, which section enumerates the cities and towns in the North and South Metropolitan Sewerage Systems, has included Weymouth in the latter. So far as I can ascertain, no Town official of Weymouth was notified when the bill which resulted in this Act was pending and consequently the Town had no opportunity to be heard on the subject. What the Supreme Judicial Court will say was the effect of this Act, which merely purports to codify the changes in existing law, is a matter on which no opinion can properly be expressed at the present time.

Under conditions as they now exist, the Town has three options open to it:

1. To do nothing and thereby acquiesce in the Town being included in the South Metropolitan Sewerage System.

2. To test in the courts the validity of our inclusion.

3. To ask for legislation which will either leave us out of the system altogether, repeal the amendment to General Laws, Chapter 92, Section 1, thereby leaving the question of our entry unprejudiced by subsequent legislation, or will provide for a further submission of the question to the voters of Weymouth.

Which of these courses is to be adopted is not a legal question at all, but a political question involving the policy and interests of the Town, in a matter in which the Town Meeting has expressed itself by a decided majority in one way and the voters have expressed themselves by a decided majority the other way.

It must be borne in mind also that the Supreme Judicial Court can only declare what the law is, whereas the Legislature can change the law if considerations of fairness and justice require such a course. Whenever the voters, the Town Meeting or the Board of Selectmen as their representatives shall decide which of the foregoing courses of action should be adopted, it will then be the duty of the Town Counsel to do all that he can to carry such decision into effect.

OIL POLLUTION

At the last Annual Town Meeting, an appropriation was made to put a stop to the oil nuisance in the waters at North Weymouth. In co-operation with me, the Harbor Master has patrolled the waters of Weymouth Fore River and taken samples of the water at times when oil was on the surface. He has also traced this oil up to its source. The result has been a marked decrease in the amount of oil pollution and if conditions do not improve in the Spring before the bathing season opens, the necessary evidence to commence litigation for the abatement of the nuisance is now available. The thanks of the Town are due Mr. Veader, the Harbor Master, for the energetic way in which he has handled the securing of evidence and the prevention of pollution.

TAX TITLES

Some time ago the Board of Selectmen instructed me to look into the question of the tax titles owned by Town and to commence foreclosure proceedings on those which had been outstanding for more than two years. As a result of this vote, I have had the various pieces of property on which the Town owns tax titles investigated and wherever the owners could be located they have been notified that unless the taxes were paid the tax title would be foreclosed. The result has been that several of these pieces either have been or will in the near future be redeemed, thus relieving the Town of this undesirable property and bringing in the money that is due for the delinquent taxes.

GOLF COURSE

The action of **Inhabitants of Weymouth v. 111.4 Acres of Land** by which it was sought to have the court fix a price at which the Town might acquire a tract of land on Green Street which was recommended as a suitable site for a municipal golf course has been

brought to a successful termination. Although one of the experts for the land owners fixed the value at \$700 per acre, the total price fixed by the Commissioners amounts to only \$1,800 for the Mathewson land and \$20,800 for the Thompson land. With the other three land owners, the Town has already come to an agreement. The counsel for Mr. Thompson and Mrs. Mathewson appealed to a jury from the Commissioners' finding, but later waived the jury so that the report of the Commissioners is now final and conclusive as to the value of the land. Should the Town decide to acquire this land the total price of the five holdings will be \$25,985. If the Town votes to acquire the land taken it must do so within six months at this price; if it does not decide to acquire the land the Town in addition to the amount it has already paid to get the price fixed will have to pay the costs of the land owners. What these will be cannot be told as this is the only case which has been brought under the new Chapter 80A of the General Laws and no court has ever interpreted that section of the statute. If the land is acquired it is acquired for park purposes and the Town is not obliged to use it for a golf course unless it sees fit.

GENERAL POLICY

Ever since I have been Town Counsel my policy has been to endeavor to keep down the expense of the legal department by being always at the service of the Town officials for advice so they might avoid acts whose legality could be questioned and which consequently might involve the Town in expense for litigation. As a result of this policy, the expense of litigation has steadily decreased. Although the Town's law business has greatly increased, the number of actual trials is a little in excess of what it was fifteen years ago and there have been up to date no suits brought against the Town growing out of illegal acts of Town officials. This is a matter in which I take just pride and has enabled me to keep down the expense of the legal department, with a result that the appropriation needed for 1932 will be the smallest one in recent years.

Respectfully submitted,

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